

GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO END WAR PLOTS ON PACIFIC COAST

INDICTMENTS ARE RETURNED AGAINST THIRTY-ONE MEN AND FIRMS COVERING MANY PHASES OF ALLEGED GERMAN ACTIVITIES SINCE WAR BEGAN.

BARK RETRIEVER INVOLVED

Supposed Moving Picture Expedition Foiled—Baron von Brincken and Charles C. Crowley Among the List Against Whom Bills Were Returned by San Francisco Grand Jury.

By the Associated Press.
San Francisco, Feb. 9.—The broadness of the government's proposed prosecution of alleged German bomb and shipping plots was shown today as details of indictments voted against thirty-one men and firms became known.

Even the little barkentine Retriever, tied to her wharf in the bay, was involved because of an alleged contemplated trip to coal German warships off the heads more than a year ago, in the guise of a motion picture expedition. Perils of the deep, it was given over, were to be portrayed as never before, with the Retriever figuring therein in front of a camera.

Investigation by government agents brought the report to the district attorney's office that the Retriever was full of coal. The necessity of this cargo on a sailing vessel engaged in a motion picture business was not evident to the investigators, and the Retriever never got away at all.

The complete list of those indicted follows:

For conspiracy to interfere with commerce under the Sherman anti-trust act and for conspiracy to organize a military expedition:

Franz Bopp, consul general for Germany.
Baron Eckhardt H. von Schack, vice consul general.
Baron Wilhelm von Brincken, attache.
Johannes Henrykus van Koolbergen, alleged German agent.

Charles C. Crowley, detective employed by German consulate.
Mrs. Margaret W. Cornell, assistant to Crowley.

All these are involved in alleged plots to blow up Canadian tunnels and American powder mills.

In Alleged Shipping Plots.
For conspiracy to defraud the government in the alleged shipping plots involving the Retriever, Sacramento, Mazatlan, Olson and Mahony:

Baron von Schack, named in previous list.
Henry W. E. Kauffman, chancellor of the German consulate.
Robert Capelle, agent here for the North German-Lloyd Steamship company.

Maurice Hall, consul general for Turkey.
John and Julius Rothschild, wholesale grocers.
George and James Flood, ship owners and brokers.

Philip R. Thayer, president of the Northern and Southern Steamship Co.
R. H. Swayne of Swayne and Hoyt, shipping brokers.

James G. Hoy of same firm.
C. D. Bunker of C. D. Bunker and company, shipping brokers.
Joseph L. Bley of C. D. Bunker and company.

Captain Fred Jensen, of the Mazatlan, ship owner, reported recently killed on a German submarine.
Dr. Simon Reimer, reputed German naval officer.

J. E. Blen, attorney.
T. A. Anderson, captain of the Sacramento.
Benno Klocke, Gustav Traub, Adolph Wimmel and T. R. Johansen, all of the Sacramento's crew.

George Phillips and Frederick Williams, supposed to be fictitious names.
And the following firms:
Northern and Southern Steamship company.
C. D. Bunker and company.
Swayne and Hoyt.

Three Groups Included.
The specifications in the charge of conspiracy to defraud the government at varying and different instances, are in three groups:

First, conspiracy to defraud through false manifests.
Second, conspiracy to violate neu-

SENATE IS ASKED BY THORNE NOT TO CONFIRM BRANDEIS

IOWA RAILROAD COMMISSIONER CHARGES SUPREME COURT APPOINTMENT WITH CONCESSION TO INTEREST OF RAILROADS TO PUBLIC INJURY IN RATE CASE.

WITNESS SAYS IS REPUBLICAN

Lieutenant Governor Eshleman of California and Joseph N. Teal of Portland, Ore., Both Defend Brandeis and Say Charges Untrue That Public Was Betrayed, as Thorne Says.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 9.—Charging that Louis D. Brandeis has conspired with pre-conceived notions as to high returns on railroad investments in view of the fact that questions involved in the national appraisal of railroads now going on ultimately would have to be determined by that tribunal, Summing up his case, he declared:

"I have shown conclusively from the records that Mr. Brandeis has committed himself to the proposition that a return on the capital stock of railroads of 7 1/2 per cent is to use his own words, 'rather niggardly.' That is the return which the Interstate Commerce commission unanimously determined was adequate. Further, the investors of this country have decided that a stock yielding 7 1/2 per cent in the market places of the country is worth 100 cents on the dollar. I have repeatedly challenged any one to name a security which earns that amount that does not command par or above par.

"The other proposition which I have attempted to show is entirely independent of the merits of the rate case and whether Mr. Brandeis is right or wrong in his position as to the adequacy of railroad revenue. The other proposition related to a matter of professional ethics. I have shown you that Mr. Brandeis was employed by the Interstate Commerce commission with specific instructions not to advocate any particular theory as to the disposition of the case. He was asked if he was willing to take the burden of seeing that the other side of the case was developed and told that the railroad side would be adequately cared for. I have tried to show that Mr. Brandeis had expressed the greatest of confidence in the presentation of the rate case by associate counsel.

Conceded Too Much.
"I have shown that Mr. Brandeis co-operated in a friendly manner during the conduct of the case with the associate counsel, yet at the crucial time Mr. Brandeis without warning to other counsel, after all argument had been closed on behalf of the public, conceded entirely to the railroad. Had I not shown that such was to be his position, had he advised us of his decision, steps certainly would have been taken for our protection and we would have demanded an opportunity to be heard after Mr. Brandeis had closed the argument for public.

"Coming from Mr. Brandeis, who participated with us in cross-examination during the rate case and who was employed by the Interstate Commerce commission, I consider that his concession was practically fatal to the cause of the public. Our work was useless."

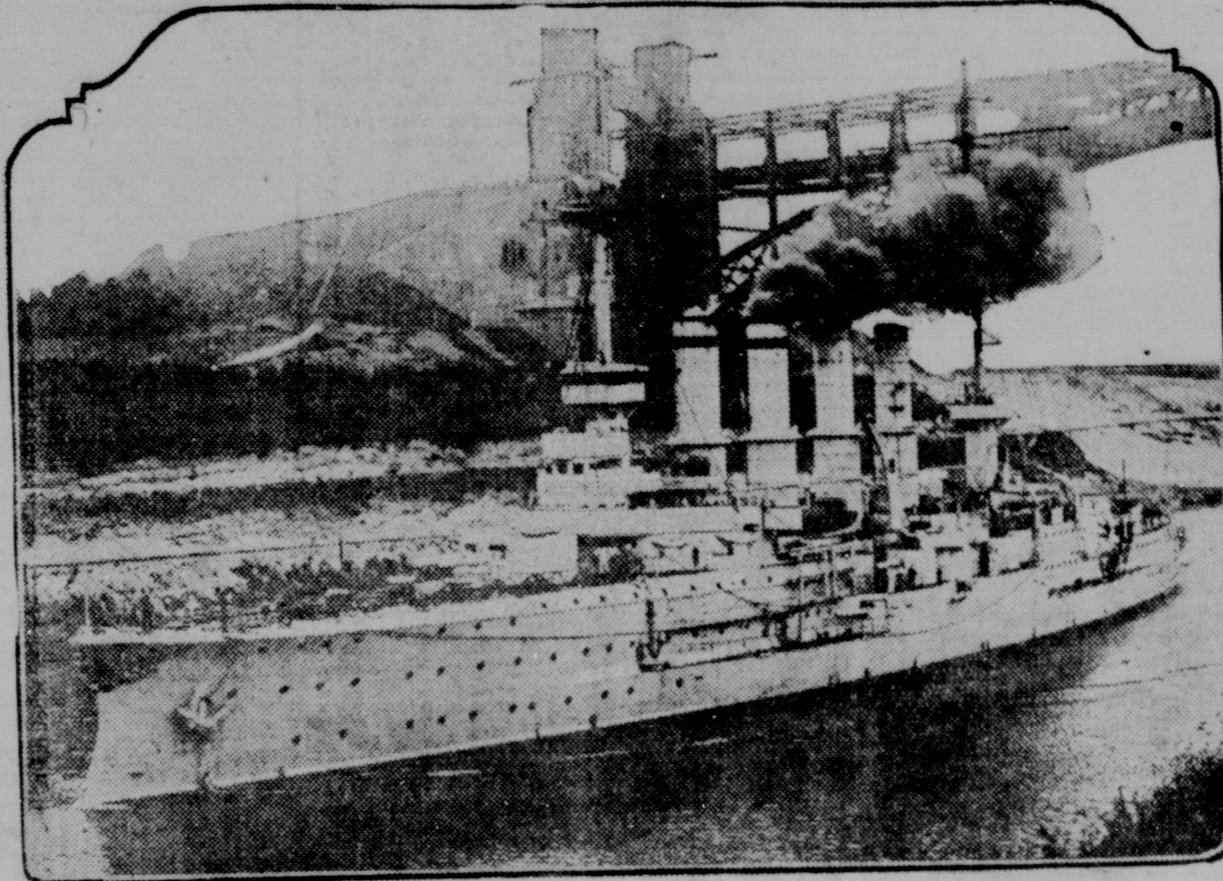
Senator Fletcher asked if it was not a fact that Mr. Brandeis was engaged to see that "all sides were taken care of."

Mr. Thorne said that there was such a proposal in the commission's letter, but that later on in the letter it was specifically stated Mr. Brandeis should undertake the burden of the "other side" because the commission knew that the railroads would be adequately represented.

Mr. Thorne occupied the stand at two long sessions of the sub-committee, closing his testimony late tonight. Tomorrow the sub-committee plans to hear representatives of the United States.

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German Ship Roon, Alleged Captor of Appam, Reported Taken by British Cruiser Drake



The Roon.

According to passengers of the British steamship Appam, now a German prize at Norfolk, Va., the powerful German cruiser Roon stood by while a vessel whose identity is still a mystery, forced eight British steamers into submission. The Roon belongs to the 21-knot armored cruiser class, and was turned out from the Kiel dockyards in October, 1905.

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 9.—Advices received here today assert that the German warship Roon, alleged to be the captor of the Appam, has been captured by the British armored cruiser Drake after a three-hour fight 200 miles east-northeast of Bermuda, according to a story printed by the New York Evening Globe.

The capture of the Roon is said by the Globe to have been followed by the seizure of two merchantmen flying the German flag, one of which was armed. The story is contained in a message which the Globe states it received in code from a reliable source in Bermuda.

"Drake here today towing Roon, took her 200 knots east-northeast Bermuda three hours running fight. Lost Danforth, eighteen men. Her losses about one-third. Struck as we came aboard. Two merchantmen with her, one armed. Took both. Brought here. Seized on sighting Roon said, 'Please God, today I will avenge Craddock.' Roon badly knocked about by 9.2.

Young Convict Gigs Attorney General for \$5 and "Beats It."

By the Associated Press.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 9.—W. Price Davis, a young Little Rock electrical contractor with an engaging manner, was serving sixteen years for forgery, did not answer roll call at the penitentiary tonight. He vanished this morning and with him an automobile belonging to the penitentiary officials to purchase an adequate supply of gasoline and lubricating oil for the automobile in which he fled.

Davis, although he entered the penitentiary but three months ago, made a trusty and chauffeur for the penitentiary. This morning he obtained an order for oil and gasoline. At a local garage where he obtained it he met the attorney general, an old friend, and negotiated the loan. He has not been seen since.

Price Davis is not related to the attorney general.

Donations Will Be Accepted by Protestants "If"

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 9.—The Protestant Episcopal church will consider the acceptance of Rockefeller foundation donations for its university and hospital at Shanghai, China, provided that such acceptance "does not interfere in any way with our own control of our church institutions," according to a resolution adopted here today by the board of foreign missions of the church.

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Thirty-two officers and 719 men taken in the three prizes."

The Segrave mentioned in the message is supposed to be Captain Segrave who was with Admiral Craddock when the latter went down with his flagship, the Good Hope, which was sunk in an engagement with a German squadron off Chile.

There is no Danforth among the officers in the British navy list. Capt. John R. Segrave was in command of the auxiliary cruiser Orama, which formed part of Admiral Craddock's squadron in the battle off Chile. After the battle, the Orama escaped and later, in company with the cruisers Glasgow and Kent, sank the German cruiser Dresden off Juan Fernandez Island. A few days later, in March, 1915, Captain Segrave fought a battle with the German armed merchantman Navarra off the river Plate and sank her. The Orama was last reported at Callao in June, 1915, and since that time neither it nor Captain Segrave has figured in the news.

For several days reports have been current in maritime circles here that the German commerce raider had been either sunk or captured by the British.

The British consulate, however, has received no official confirmation of this.

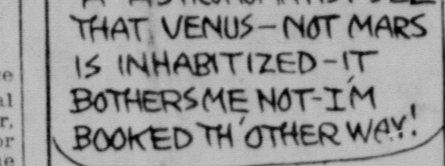
Confirmed in Private Dispatch.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 9.—The British embassy today received advices from British agents in New York that a man living on Staten Island, whose name was not transmitted, had received a private dispatch from Bermuda saying the British cruiser Drake had taken the German cruiser Roon and some German merchant ships. The embassy had no further advices.

No News at Hamilton.
By the Associated Press.
Hamilton, Bermuda, Feb. 9.—If a battle has taken place between the British armored cruiser Drake and the German cruiser Roon off Bermuda nothing is known here of the occurrence. Numerous inquiries have failed to confirm the report that the Drake attacked and captured the Roon. These vessels have not reached this port and so far as can be learned, no advices have been received at Hamilton to indicate that the Drake has taken a prize into any other Bermuda ports.

WEATHER

A ASTRONAUT SEZ THAT VENUS—NOT MARS IS INHABITED—IT BOTHERS ME NOT—I'M BOOKED TH OTHER WAY!



Clearing and colder. The above forecast is based on a high pressure area moving this way.

Local Readings.
Readings for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maximum temperature 65 at 5 p. m., minimum 45 at 5 a. m., barometer 30.25, humidity 37, wind 161 miles, highest 8 miles an hour at 4:45 p. m.

Government Forecast.
By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 9.—Forecast: East Texas—Thursday fair, warmer in northwest portion; Friday increasing cloudiness.

West Texas—Thursday and Friday fair.

Oklahoma and Arkansas—Thursday fair; Friday partly cloudy, warmer.

Louisiana—Thursday fair; Friday partly cloudy, warmer.

Grand Matron Eastern Star Dies.
By the Associated Press.
Bradford, Pa., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Bata A. Mills, aged 57, grand matron of the General Grand Chapter Eastern Star, died suddenly at her home here today.

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Mother Locks Door, Shoots Children and Then Herself

By the Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Nina Kelly, 28 years old, shot her two sons, 11 and 8 years of age, then killed herself this morning. One of the boys has no chance to recover, while the other, physicians believe, will get well. Mrs. Kelly had been conducting a boarding house on South Lake street. Her husband is in Ennis, Texas. They have not lived together for some time.

The two little boys were called into Mrs. Kelly's bedroom. The door was then locked and the mother began to fire at them with a revolver as they ran screaming about the room. Neighbors heard the shooting and the screaming and hurried to the Kelly house, but were unable to gain admission. Finally a woman neighbor battered in a side door with a broomstick and found the mother dying and the two children unconscious.

Previously Mrs. Kelly had called one of her neighbors in to cook breakfast for herself and boys, saying she was too ill to get up.

Southwestern 43, T. C. U. 14.
By the Associated Press.
Georgetown, Feb. 9.—Southwestern university defeated Texas Christian university here today in a spirited game of basketball by the score of 43 to 14. The Southwestern boys played a steady game with Ray and Knicker buck as stars. Vaughan was the leader of T. C. U.

El Paso-Southwestern Official Dies.
By the Associated Press.
Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 9.—A. N. Brown, general traffic manager of the El Paso and Southwestern railroad, died here today of paralysis of the heart. The body will be taken to El Paso tomorrow for interment. Mr. Brown was 55 years old.

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POSTOFFICE FLOATS AWAY.

By the Associated Press.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 9.—White River, Ark., a small town near the mouth of the White river, is minus a postoffice on account of the high waters, and the local office of the railway mail service today received an appeal for aid.

"My postoffice is now floating down the river. Unless it lodges against some trees it will be a total loss," writes the postmistress. The office was located on a raft, which Sunday night tore from its fastenings, dumping the mail and the postmistress into the water, from which they were rescued. Later it was established on a barge and again the wind demolished it.

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BANK CLEARINGS.

Clearings of Waco banks for yesterday's business totaled \$512,084.93, according to figures compiled for the Morning News by C. M. Virett, secretary-manager of the Waco Clearing House association. Clearings for yesterday a week ago were \$466,423.32.

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DEFENSE BILLS PASS SENATE; PACIFISTS CONCLUDE PLEAS

ONLY PRESIDENT'S PEACE ADVOCATES SIGNATURE NEEDED WANT NO CHANGE IN FOR TWO MEASURES MILITARY POLICY

SENATE PASSES HOUSE BILL ON ADDITIONAL MIDDIES AND PROVIDING FOR EQUIPPING NAVY YARDS TO BUILD TWO BATTLE SHIPS IMMEDIATELY.

MRS. FLORENCE KELLEY OF NEW YORK CRITICIZES DAUGHTERS AMERICAN REVOLUTION FOR URGING WOMEN TO PROMISE HOMES IN CASE OF WAR.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.
Clifford Thorne attacked attitude of Louis D. Brandeis in the five per cent railroad rate case before industry sub-committee considering Brandeis' nomination to the supreme court.

Foreign relations committee recommended ratification of Haitian treaty.

Secretary Daniels before public lands committee opposed opening western oil lands to public.

Passed bills to make six hundred thousand dollars immediately available for improvements at Mare Island and New York navy yards and to increase number of midshipmen at Annapolis.

Adopted Senator Lodge's resolution asking president to set aside day for contributions for Armenian relief.

Recessed at 6:10 p. m. until noon Thursday.

House.
Hearings on national defense continued before military and naval affairs committee.

Witnesses in impeachment proceedings against United States Attorney Marshall of New York heard in executive session by judiciary sub-committee.

Passed Sherwood bill to give medal of honor soldiers special pension of ten dollars a month.

Considered Spanish war volunteers' widow pension bill.

Speaker Clark introduced bill to increase number of cadets at West Point.

Adjourned at 5:30 p. m. until noon Thursday.

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By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 9.—With President Wilson personally urging both democratic and republican members of the house military committee to hasten preparation of bills to carry out the army's part in the national preparedness scheme, indications tonight were that the measures might be ready for the house within two weeks or less.

Hearings will come to a close tomorrow or next day and it is understood that the majority of the bills already have been whipped into shape in which it is expected they will receive virtually the unanimous approval of the committee.

The senate committee already has concluded its hearings on army bills and will take up the work of drafting its proposals to the senate early next week. There also the general outline of the plan to be recommended has crystallized in the minds of the members.

The bills of the two houses, it is expected, will differ radically and the final legislation will be worked out as a compromise in conference.

Progress also was made today on navy legislation, the measures paving the way for construction of battle ships Nos. 43 and 44 at navy yards and providing for 300 additional men in the July class at Annapolis being passed by the senate. They passed the house Monday and lack only the president's signature to become law. Speaker Clark, in line with his recent speech in the house advocating that the personnel at both An-

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Opponents of administration plans for national defense legislation concluded their plea today before the house military committee and while not unanimous in their opinions as to what should be done or left undone with regard to the army and navy, they all opposed any present change in military policy.

Representatives of the Society of Friends, and a score of others, speaking under the auspices of the Women's Peace party, discussed war and its causes and consequences from many angles. They were seldom interrupted by committee members except where the open-mindedness of congress on the subject of preparedness was assailed.

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SUMMARY OF WAR

By the Associated Press.

The French and Germans have been engaged in furious combat on the western battle front between Lens and Arras, where recently there had been great artillery activity. Berlin reports that west of Vimy the Germans captured French positions over a length of 800 yards. Paris admits that the Germans after the explosion of two heavily charged mines, got a foothold in portions of a French trench, but says they were driven out by hand-grenade attacks.

Southwest of Vimy, in the vicinity of the road running from Neuville to Thelus, the Germans discharged another mine and then essayed an infantry attack against the French which was repulsed.

Paris also reports that the French in a grenade attack drove the Germans from a small post between Soissons and Rheims and that the French batteries have badly damaged German organizations in the forest of Apremont, southeast of Saint Mihiel.

On the Russian front Berlin records the repulse of Russian infantry attacks at several points in the Riga region. A Petrograd dispatch says severe fighting is developing in this district, the preliminary artillery duels having changed into bombardments of great intensity.

Nothing new has come through concerning the situation on the Austro-Italian line, in Belgium or in Asia. Where the Russians and British at various points are engaged with the Turks.

Two women and one child have been injured in a daylight raid by two German seaplanes which dropped bombs on the outskirts of Ramsgate and near a school house at Broadstairs in Kent county, southeast England.

Owing to ill health, Gen. Sir Horace L. Smith-Dorrien has given up his command of the British forces in East Africa. He has been succeeded by the Boer general, Jan Christian Smut.

Great Britain's reply to the American government's protest against the British blockade has been delayed and possibly will not be sent to Washington during the present month.

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However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Waco Morning News.

MISS STANFORD'S RECITAL HEARD WITH APPRECIATION

Former Waco Girl, Now Operatic Singer, Well Received by Large Audience in Carroll Chapel.

Miss Eldora Stanford, the talented soprano of this city, gave a most pleasing concert at Carroll chapel last night. Her every number was rendered in a most artistic way and the audience was one composed of the most appreciative people in Waco. She has a wonderful voice, carrying the best quality of richness with a great amount of artistic temperament, with which she charmed her audience all the way through.

Especially attractive were the numbers, "Je Dis que rien ne m'épouvante," "Si tu le veux," "Serenade Italienne," "Ah Fors e lui" and "Would God I Were the Tender Apple Blossom." These brought repeated applause from the audience and she was forced to respond many times with delightful encores. At the end of her program she was called back time and again and at length responded with "Absent," which she did in a most beautiful manner. It being a piece that every one loves, and also her own favorite, it was easily the most liked number of her program.

Miss Stanford displayed great art and training, and according to Professor Eggert and Professor P. Arthur Johnson, she has far surpassed any who have visited Waco for some time. Her improvement during the past two years is nothing short of marvelous, declared Mr. Eggert.

Her program was as follows:

- Je dis que rien ne m'épouvante (Aria from Carmen).....Bizet
- Now Sleeps the Crimson Petal.....Quilter
- The Bird of the Wilderness.....Horsman
- A Memory.....Fairchild
- Sunlight.....Ware
- Si tu le veux.....Karchel
- Sognal.....Schira
- Serenade Italienne.....Chausson
- Botschaft.....Brahms
- Ah! fors e lui (Aria from La Traviata).....Verdi
- Star.....Rogers
- Would God I Were the Tender Apple Blossom.....Old Irish
- The Awakening.....Spross

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To take advantage of the half-payment provision, property owners must pay the first half of their taxes by the 15th of this month. The second half must be paid by the 15th of the next month. After that time ten per cent penalty upon unpaid portion of such taxes will become operative.

The city tax commission at its session this morning will probably be asked by Mayor Riggins to place the municipal government on record as favoring the preparedness plan of President Wilson. The mayor has called a general mass meeting of citizens to meet in the city hall tonight to indorse the president's plan.

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Chicago, Feb. 9.—Patrick H. O'Donnell and Charles E. Erbshten, lawyers, were today indicted on charges of perjury in recent trials of police officials accused of graft. At the same time indictments were returned against former Police Captain James O'Dea, Steven former Detectives Michael Weismann and Fred Roth and three witnesses in the case against Steven, Weismann and Roth, out of which grew the perjury charges.

O'Donnell and Erbshten are among the most widely known Chicago criminal lawyers. Each is indicted on five counts, the aggregate bail for each being \$50,000. The amount was fixed by Chief Justice Richard E. Burke of the criminal court before whom the indictments were returned.

Ysleta Man Not Guilty.

By the Associated Press.

El Paso, Feb. 9.—After ten minutes' deliberation today the jury in the case of J. D. White, a United States customs inspector, charged with the murder of Francisco Perez, returned a verdict of not guilty. White killed Perez, a Mexican, in a saloon in El Paso, Tex., Jan. 28.

Perez was alleged to have been a thief and a close associate of the Mexican thieves and was arrested by White following a telephone message from the Juarez authorities to the El Paso police that members of the gang were about to cross into the United States.

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Chairman Hay of the military house committee and some of his democratic colleagues discussed army plans with President Wilson during the day at the president's suggestion. Tomorrow Representative Kahn, ranking republican member, and others of the minority will go to the white house on the same errand. It is understood the president was pleased with the report on progress Chairman Hay was able to give him.

It was evident, however, in later proceedings of the committee that Representative Hay had not swayed from his opposition to Secretary Garrison's proposal for a continental army which the president warmly advocated during his recent preparedness campaign trip to the middle west. A witness before the committee said he was opposed to the continental plan.

"So am I," interjected Mr. Hay, "we all are."

Democrats and republicans of the committee agreed tonight in saying that an army bill would be quickly written, although there might be minor details which would take considerable debate to settle. The feature of the bill, it was said, would be federalization of the militia through a pay bill carrying provisions designed to give the war department peace time control of training and officering of the national guard.

Adjutant General Foster of the Florida national guard, chairman of the executive committee of the National Guard association, was again in Washington tonight. He was understood to be further consulted in order that the bill might be made acceptable to the state soldiers.

Coupled with the pay feature of the bill probably will be Chairman Hay's plan to authorize the president to draft national guardsmen into the federal service immediately in war time. There is designed to settle any conflict of authority that might arise and also insure the whole membership of the guard will be available for federal uses, the number not being dependent as now upon how many volunteers.

For the regular army, the bill probably will provide the 40,000 additional men asked for by Secretary Garrison.

An element of the committee favors continuance of the practice of government manufacture of army munitions, and on this aspect of the plan the committee will face a struggle within its own ranks. Some members believe that favoring the war department's attitude of providing work enough for private plants to insure a big war-time production capacity have votes enough to secure the end of the bill.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Special pensions of \$10 a month each and places on a pension list for widows and orphans of medals of honor and over 55 years of age are authorized in a bill introduced by Representative Sherwood of Ohio and today by the house. It is estimated not more than 1000 veterans come under the provisions of the measure.

Another pension bill designed to benefit widows of Spanish volunteers who served more than 30 days aroused much discussion and finally went over last Wednesday without action. It would grant widows whose incomes do not exceed \$250 a year, pensions of twelve dollars a month, and \$3 additional for each minor child, without regard to the cause of the soldier's death.

Republican leader Mann urged the passage of a bill to encourage volunteer duty.

"Especially at present, with the possibility of a 'big push' as he said, it is appropriate that we should say particularly to the young man: 'You offer us your lives when you enlist and pay the price of your life when you take care of your widows.'"

Representative Gardner insisted that the measure was unfair to the widows of regular army officers.

Haitian Treaty Reported.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The senate committee on foreign relations today ordered reported to the senate with recommendation for ratification the Haitian treaty providing for financial protectorate over the republic by the United States. There was no dissenting vote. Eleven senators were present.

The proposed treaty provides chiefly:

American supervision of finances and the collection of customs.

American supervision of the payment of public debt, inquiry into validity of existing debts and regulation of contraction of future debt.

Police of the republic by constabulary, at first headed by American officers.

Intervention by the United States if necessary to preserve order, and for guaranteeing the territorial integrity and independence of Haiti.

Development of Haitian resources under American law.

Day Asked for Armenian Relief.

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Washington, Feb. 9.—The senate today adopted a resolution proposed by Senator Lodge requesting the president to set apart a day on which the public should observe a day of prayer for the relief of distressed Armenians.

During discussion of the resolution Senator Lodge said to the desk a press dispatch from Petrograd dated Jan. 18, in which Dr. Jacob Starzins, an American Methodist missionary, told of the death of a missionary, who was burned to death in oil.

No Progress on Nicaraguan Treaty.

Washington, Feb. 9.—No progress was made by the senate today in a two-hour executive session on the Nicaraguan treaty. Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, insisted tonight upon a recess instead of adjournment so as to clear the parliamentary road for continuing consideration of the treaty in executive session when the senate reconvenes at noon tomorrow.

Suff Bill Not Recommended.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 9.—A house judiciary subcommittee by a vote of 4 to 3 today recommended to the full committee the reporting to the house "without recommendation" of the Susan E. Anthony constitutional amendment for nationwide woman suffrage. This is in accord with the action of the committee in the past. In the subcommittee, on the motion to report without recommendation, Representatives Taggart of Kansas, Nelson of Wisconsin, Morgan of Oklahoma and Vestal of Minnesota voted aye, and Representatives Carlin of Virginia, Gard of Ohio and Whaley of South Carolina nay.

Hearing Buchanan Charges.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The house judiciary subcommittee considering Representative Buchanan's impeachment proceedings against United States District Attorney of New York, heard five witnesses from the New York district at an executive session today. Samuel Gompers and Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor will appear at the next hearing, which will be held Friday.

A system of windmills is being experimented with in Kansas to pump the underground water to the surface for the purpose of irrigation.

Henry James, the author, has been decorated with the Order of Merit by King George of England. The order has only eleven civilian members.

London's exports to the United States for November were more than \$14,574,000, as against less than \$12,000,000 for October.



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GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO END WAR PLOTS ON PACIFIC COAST

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trality by making San Francisco a supply base for belligerent ships at sea.

Third, conspiracy to defeat neutrality by supplying belligerents' ships with stores to which they were not entitled.

Some of these indictments supersede former indictments in connection with alleged violations of neutrality by the steamship Sacramento, and it was understood that the government would ask dismissal of earlier charges. They were set for trial February 14.

The speedy trial promised by the department of justice in all these cases will mark the culmination of activities on the Pacific coast which began with the war and are said by federal authorities to have continued almost to the present.

German Cruisers Supplied.

Until the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and Nürnberg were sunk in battle off the Falkland Islands December 8, 1914, tremendous efforts were put forth to keep them supplied from this port. The steamer Sacramento, formerly the German-owned Alexandria, bought by the Northern and Southern Steamship company, a new corporation and flying the American flag, left port piled high with supplies of all sorts, including sauerkraut and beer, and reached Valparaiso, Chile, empty. All her supplies were transferred to a German cruiser. Captain Anderson said he could not help himself.

Captain Jensen, a lieutenant in the German naval reserve, took a cargo of coal south in his boat, the Mazatlan, under bond of its proper delivery at Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico. He delivered it on lighters there and it was snapped up by the German cruiser Leipzig. Jensen then made his way to Germany in disguise and is reported to have been drowned in the sinking of a submarine.

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Franz Bopp, German consul general here, and Baron E. H. von Schack, vice consul, both of whom are on the list, informed the federal authorities they would be ready when wanted. Maurice E. Had, Turkish consul, told the marshal where he might be found.

John W. Preston, United States district attorney, worn out from working up the neutrality and immigration cases, was ordered today by his physician to go to hospital to recuperate, but instead he left the city for a vacation.

Armed Italian Steamer at Port Arthur.

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- Je dis que rien ne m'empourante (Aria from Carmen).....Bizet
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GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO END WAR PLOTS ON PACIFIC COAST

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Third, conspiracy to defeat neutrality by supplying belligerents' ships with stores to which they were not entitled.

Some of these indictments supersede former indictments in connection with alleged violations of neutrality by the steamship Sacramento, and it was understood that the government would ask dismissal of earlier charges. They were set for trial February 14.

The speedy trial promised by the department of justice in all these cases will mark the culmination of activities on the Pacific coast which began with the war and are said by federal authorities to have continued almost to the present.

German Cruisers Supplied.

Until the German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Leipzig and Nürnberg were sunk in battle off the Falkland Islands December 8, 1914, tremendous efforts were made to keep them supplied from this port. The steamer Sacramento, formerly the German-owned Alexandria, bought by the Northern and Southern Steamship company, a new corporation and flying the American flag, left port piled high with supplies of all sorts, including sauerkraut and beer, and reached Valparaiso, Chile, empty. All her supplies were transferred to a German cruiser.

Captain Anderson said he could not help himself.

Captain Jensen, a lieutenant in the German naval reserve, took a cargo of coal south in his boat, the Mazatlan, under bond for its proper delivery at Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico. He delivered it on lighters there and it was snapped up by the German cruiser Leipzig. Jensen then made his way to Germany in disguise and is reported to have been drowned in the sinking of a submarine.

The Olson and Mahony, a steam schooner were loaded with supplies, but after considerable controversy with customs officials, were unloaded.

In the early days of the war the cruisers Leipzig and Nürnberg lay off this port for several days. The Leipzig, in fact, in the German cruiser, coal, which were granted her in quantities permissible under international law. Efforts to supply still further quantities are alleged by the government.

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JUDGE ROBINSON FAVORS PRESIDENT'S PREPAREDNESS PLAN

Hon. John D. Robinson of Belton, candidate for congress, was in the city last night and when asked what his position was upon the question of national preparedness, said:

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WOMAN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS THURSDAY

Catholic Study club meets with Mrs. L. S. Henry, 524 North Twenty-second street, 8:30 o'clock.

Merry Matrons meet with Mrs. E. L. Farley, 1606 North Fifth street; 3 o'clock.

Bridal Bridge club plays with Mrs. Sam Strauss, 512 Terrace Row; 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Layton Puckett is bridge hostess, 1616 Washington street; 3 o'clock.

Literary club meets with Mrs. H. H. Park, 1110 South Fifth street; 3:15 o'clock.

Bachelor Maids play with Miss Emma Farrell, Twenty-second and Morrow; 3 o'clock.

Penelope's meet with Mrs. J. C. Kelly, Eleventh and Jefferson; 3 o'clock.

Woman's Program, Columbus Street Baptist church; all day.

Social service committee of arrangement meets, Chamber of Commerce; 8 o'clock.

Mrs. George Willig, Fourteenth and Austin, at home for Mrs. C. Hamilton; 4 to 6 o'clock.

Palette and Brush club has call session with Miss Esse Forester, 2115 Barnard street; 3 o'clock.

MRS. GEORGE WILLIG HAS INFORMAL HOUR

In welcome to the girlhood home of Mrs. A. C. Hamilton, from Fayetteville, Arkansas, Mrs. George Willig is adding another of her delightful informalities to affairs social for this afternoon.

REQUEST FOR BOOKS COMES FROM SETTLEMENT

Now that the new term in the public school is begun, there is great demand for new books. The Evangelia Settlement reports many calls for these books in all grades. Are there not some women who have one or two, perhaps all necessary for a grade, who will donate the same to the Settlement House?

Y. M. L. B. CLUB PLAYS WITH MRS. IRA SELEY

When members of the Young Married Ladies' Bridge club, for their special guests of the hostess, Mrs. Ira Seley, the Mesdames M. Holderman, Rives Posten Halsey, Edwin Drake, to play hands of absence. Of these, Mrs. Seley is the one of the prize winners. Mrs. W. W. Early being the other. The club will play next Tuesday with Mrs. Carter Brockenborough.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB WITH MRS. FRANK TRAU

In the home of her mother, Mrs. B. C. Garland, Mrs. Frank Trau was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge club. Her guests fell to Mrs. Joel McCook, a favor within the game, and Mrs. L. O. Sparks. The Mesdames Frank Brelsford and Lars Ockander were introduced as callers. Mrs. Ralph Turner will entertain next Tuesday.

CHANGES IN HOSTESS CLUBS WILL MAKE NOTE

Two changes in hostesses are reported with the clubs. Instead of Mrs. Randolph Wilson, as was announced for the Young Married Ladies' Bridge club, Mrs. Carter Brockenborough will be hostess next Tuesday afternoon. Also, instead of Mrs. John T. Bonner, as announced, Mrs. M. C. H. Park, as found in today's calendar, receives the Literary club this afternoon.

EMERSON CLUB MEETS FOR BROWNING STUDY

With Mrs. Richard Burleson leading another lesson on Browning's "Pippa Passes," the Emerson club had regular study hour on Tuesday. Mrs. J. O. Jackson and Mrs. Ray Rowell were welcomed as incoming members. The club met its obligation for the state endowment fund, also donated five dollars to the Evangelia Settlement. Other than this, the hour was consumed with study.

WACO TALENT SCORES OUT AT SPEEGLEVILLE

Report comes in that the Misses Edith Lake, Vienna; Mary Lee, Bessie, and Sallie Keith, voice, gave the best concert ever heard in the Speegleville neighborhood. In addition to the much enjoyed programs, the visitors were introduced socially, after the concert. This was under auspices of the Mothers' club, and took place in the school building, where the club has placed a piano.

MRS. STURGIS HOSTESS AT RALEIGH LUNCHEON

In compliment to Mrs. J. J. Abernathy, Mrs. E. A. Sturgis was first luncheon hostess at the Hotel Raleigh. Service was given six guests, they being the hostess, the honoree, Mrs. J. O. Jackson, Mrs. A. B. Cowan, James Sturgis and A. S. Abernathy of Gonzales. Jougals both in nature and art were patrons of the attractive table. The service was more than acceptable.

GIRLS' CLUB AT LAKEVIEW HEARS MRS. M. B. DAVIS

Over at Lakeview, the girls of the Home Economics club held first meeting. There was large attendance, and manifest interest. Since this was the initial entertainment of the club, Miss Wyatt delivered a club prophecy. She was followed by Miss Ainsworth, who introduced the speaker of the evening, Mrs. M. B. Davis. A paper on bird life was followed by interesting lantern slides. Quite a creditable sum was received at the door.

CLASSIC CLUB MEETS AT THE UNIVERSITY

Out at Baylor university the Waco Classic club had regular meeting. Professor Henry Trantham of the Greek department read the paper of the afternoon. He followed the line of what the study of Greek means for culture. Miss Annie Forsgard conducted the round table. This brought the subject up to date by introducing men who are keeping classic ideals before the educated world. Miss Forsgard is chairman of a committee to extend interest in this club into the city. Mesdames Negroponte and Carter Eubank with Miss Caroline Alexander were guests. The next meeting will be at the high school.

SANS SOUCIS HOLD SESSION WITH MRS. J. W. HALE

In order that several visitors in the city might enjoy the Sans Soucis' Valentine party, Mrs. J. W. Hale as hostess on Tuesday, invited to spend the hour with the club the Mesdames A. C. Hamilton of Arkansas, John Hamilton of Indiana, Charles Lank-horne of Virginia, Mary Matz Mills of Panama. The fun came from the valentines, some clever and some witty. Mrs. William Edmond and Mrs. W. H. Jones received distinction in this test. The valentine also came into the luncheon plate.

BRIDGE JUNIORS PLAY WITH MISS CAUFIELD

At the close of game, Miss May Dee Caufield, hostess for the Bridge Juniors, introduced the 5 o'clock tea feature, with Mrs. Bart Moore, Junior, presiding at the tea table. Playing with the club members were the Mesdames Carl and Josephine Vard, the Misses Beuna Clinton, Mabel Chambers, Elizabeth Anderson of Scotland, Charabel Knight, Imola Link of Houston, Emma Farrell, Mary Farrell, Miss Farrell, the Evange-la, and Miss Ethel Foster. The latter invited the club for next Tuesday afternoon.

MRS. CHARLES DERRICK FOR MRS. CORBIN

Mrs. E. H. Corbin of Missouri is visiting Mrs. Charles Derrick on North Twelfth street. It was the pleasure of Mrs. Derrick to introduce her mother to a number of neighbors, in the happy way. These were called in for a button hole contest together with other good time features for the contest. Mrs. T. J. Friday scored high and Miss Clara Schneider low. Music was enjoyed from Miss Jaynes and Mrs. Freeman. Valentine suspicions crept into the luncheon plate. Mrs. H. L. Quinn gave old-time piano selections. About twenty guests were thus pleasantly introduced to Mrs. Corbin.

SAD NEWS HAS ARRIVED FROM MINERAL WELLS

Wednesday afternoon brought distressing news to relatives and many friends here. This came from Mineral Wells to say that, after an illness of several months, Mrs. Hugh Montgomery Coleman is no more. She will be laid away at Mineral Wells this afternoon. As Miss Nannie Harriett, infant, school girl, and young lady here, in the home now owned by President and Mrs. S. P. Brooks, Miss Nannie Harriett, wed Hugh Montgomery Coleman of Mineral Wells. Prominent in social and club circles, Mrs. Montgomery, with the exception of a short interval, has spent her married life in Mineral Wells. The aunt, Miss Marie Leslie of the high school, and only brother, Ripley Harriett, have gone to Mineral Wells.

MRS. ALBERT CLIFTON IS LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Complimenting her guest, Mrs. Gary from Kansas City, also her bride sister, Mrs. Beverly Harden of Hillsboro, Mrs. Albert Clifton was hostess for another of her attractive parties on Tuesday. This took form of a buffet luncheon with younger matron friends principally guests. The table was arranged for Mrs. Clifton, Mrs. J. O. Jackson, as nut and confection holders. This means the table was pretty, for nothing imparts more of daintiness than the Dresden. Pink rose buds were given floral preference. The courses were served by Mrs. Clifton's guests, other than honorees, were the Mesdames W. R. Clifton, Walter Lacy, H. C. Brewer, R. G. Patton, J. N. McFarland, Edward Bolton, George Rott, Clinton Padgett, Lee Cowan, Robert Dupree, George McLendon, Ben

Careless Use of Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps are too much alkaline. They dry the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mild soap, such as Quinine. It is pure and gentle, and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply wash the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. It dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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Is Your Skin Rough and Tender From Wind and Cold Weather?

Use Morrisonian Witch Hazel Cream

This Toilet Article has stood the test of nearly a quarter of a century and is one of the best selling preparations for keeping the skin soft and smooth that we know of. We guarantee it to give satisfaction. The price is 25c the bottle.

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Gray Kendall, Bart Moore, Junior, J. J. Abernathy of Atlanta, Lee Davis, Shapley Ross and Guy Witt of San Antonio.

CURRENT EVENTS CLUB MEETS FOR BIRTHDAY PARTY

Very unexpectedly to members of the Current Event club, when all were assembled with Mrs. J. D. Bell as substitute hostess, it was ascertained that it was a birthday call and party on Mrs. Bell's. Mrs. Julia Henry, knowing of the anniversary, provided floral flowers and pot covers, which were arranged in the luncheon room, to make the afternoon from the regular program. The subject for study was "The Seven Wonders of the World," leading from ancient through medieval into present wonders of science. Miss Minnie Johnston contributed the paper, followed by Miss Josephine Forsgard and Mrs. William Foster. Mrs. Mary Manton conducted the round table to which Mesdames Julia Henry, Minnie King, Howard Lank-horne and Walter Reese responded.

Departing from custom with the Current Event, because it was Mrs. Bell's birthday, refreshments were served. Meeting with the club were the Mesdames W. R. Clifton, Henry Bell and E. J. Ashburn. No business was transacted except to excuse Mrs. Charles Slaughter for the remainder of the year and to appoint Mrs. Julia Henry successor to Mrs. Slaughter as treasurer.

TEA DRINKING COMES FOR MRS. E. M. EWING

Arranged as the genuine surprise, was the tea drinking in honor of the birthday of Mrs. E. M. Ewing. The daughter, Mrs. John T. Kelly, is held accountable for all this underhand work which brought the event to light. The tea arranged, the table set with its unusually pretty service, guests invited, and even guests arriving, before Mrs. Ewing divined that her natal day, had been had her gift, in which their honoree was arrayed. Several including the good husband had sent flowers, so that the rooms were, too, dressed in white. Mrs. J. A. Kelly poured, while the daughter, Mrs. Glen Ewing, drove in from her country home, to assist in entertaining. The birthday cake, no one seemed to know how, had been baked, and was brought in with its burning candles, just "sweet sixteen." Probing for ring, thimble and dome, marriage, riches and single blessedness, it was found that Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. J. J. Grier and Mrs. Julian Frade, found the pieces. It was quite a merry party. Mrs. Kelly had been spoken old neighbors, and longest friends of her mother. The invited guests were Mrs. M. B. Clement, J. J. Grier, Araminta Branson, James Loughridge, H. G. Bostwick, A. B. Warner, W. L. Perry, Robert Gribble, C. A. Jennings, S. A. Gool, L. Gay, Thomas, C. H. Carringer, F. M. Blair and S. Y. Lee.

MRS. JAMES H. STURGIS FOR VISITING MATRONS

The home visit of the daughter, Mrs. J. J. Abernathy, accompanied by Mrs. A. S. Abernathy, was inspiration to Mrs. James Sturgis for invitations. These were given for two hours of the members of the recent bridal party together with those who showed Mrs. J. J. Abernathy ante nuptial courtesies, also a few of the more intimate friends, were selected to disburse hospitality in the reception suite. In anticipation of the incoming valentine season, Mrs. Sturgis gave the valentine color, the quaint little Cupids, for her table picture. Ribbons were added. The tea table, for this was a society tea drinking, found Mrs. Ben Gray Kendall at the urn. The table center, first laid with tunity placed round the water pond, then in bowl and holder for the carnations. Cupids poised about the banks gave saucy glance, while holding the loop or the bow of ribbon. The tea table blue and white, the valentines were all about the room. The gold room, also a dash of the valentine red, found other blooms and foliage. Receiving formally were hostess and her two daughters. Remains with Mrs. Sturgis were the two hours were the Mesdames Harriet Morse, Enrique Smith, Norma Bonner, Gertrude Bush, Minnie Kilgus, Dorothy Finley, Elizabeth Anderson, and Mrs. J. O. Jackson. The Mesdames Carl Lovelace, W. E. Darden, Lee Davis, Walter Lacy, J. D. Bell, Julia Henry, M. A. Cooper, Flora Cameron, H. M. Minier, J. R. Minier, and ward, H. M. Clark of Kansas City, A. B. Cowan, E. A. Sturgis and William Carroll.

Society Personals

Mrs. Carter Brockenborough of Columbus street has returned from Hamilton.

Mrs. Richard Prowell of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. P. Anderson, Fourteenth and Columbus.

On Friday Mrs. Gregg Waddill, who is present guest of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Keith, on Columbus street, leaves for her home in Galveston.

Mrs. Beverly Harden of Hillsboro was Tuesday guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Clifton, Columbus street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gair of Kansas City, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clifton, are touring the Texas cities.

Mrs. A. S. Abernathy, who was introduced by Mrs. James Sturgis on Tuesday, left on Wednesday for San Antonio.

Mrs. S. G. Hopkins of Texarkana is visiting her sisters, the Mesdames L. A. Potter and Charles Gooch, North Twelfth street in Dallas until Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Reeves of Woff, Oklahoma, is spending two weeks with Mrs. W. L. Bacon on North Sixteenth street.

Mrs. Guy Witt, who is now visiting her mother, Mrs. W. D. Lacy, on Washington street, takes home passage for San Antonio with the last of this week.

Mrs. J. B. Smith, Junior, arrived from Chicago on Wednesday. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Bass, West Avenue.

Mrs. Ardie Menefee of Hillsboro will be the week end guest of Mrs. B. B. Fuston, North Sixth street.

On Saturday Mrs. J. J. Abernathy, who is with Mrs. James Sturgis on Washington street for a few days, takes passage for her new home, Atlanta.

How to Give Quinine to Children. FERRILINE is the trademark name given to an improved quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary quinine. It is a pleasant, pleasant, pleasant. The name FERRILINE is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

The Hotel Raleigh now has an orchestra in the dining room at noon and evenings.—Adv.

The Silk Exposition



Splendid Demonstration of Goldstein-Migel Leadership in New Fabrics—

The unbounded admiration and approval which the women of Waco have accorded to our Spring Silk Exposition this week is a source of much gratification, and an encouragement to even greater achievements in future. This great assemblage of newest, choicest, most elegant Silks of every style is an occasion of interest for every woman—an index to the fabric styles of the Spring season. Come enjoy an hour among these glorious new fabrics.

The Elegant New Taffetas

RICH TAFFETA PRISMATIQUE—40 inches wide, in wide-stripe, narrow-stripe and check-stripe patterns; the grounds are of black, changing to Joffre Blue, Navy or Midnight; the stripes are white, primrose and various shades of green. A leading Silk for street dresses, coat dresses and waists. The yard **\$2.25**

HANDSOME STRIPED TAFFETAS—36 inches wide, in Navy, Pigeon Blue or Bethlehem Steel, with stripes of white or silver. Other patterns are Copenhagen with Joffre Blue stripes outlined in white; also narrow stripes of navy and white, blending to form a greyish ground, over which run bold stripes of Joffre Blue and white; satin-plaid of navy blue, with daring overplaid of white and silver; the yard **\$2.00**

SATIN-STRIPE TAFFETAS—36 inches wide, in black-and-white, with outline stripe of meadow green **\$1.50**

NEW BLACK TAFFETAS—With very narrow white stripe, in various styles; 36 inches wide; the yard **\$1.50**

A GREAT COLLECTION OF BEAUTIFUL TAFFETAS, all 36 inches wide, in all plain shades, and also including Forest Green with stripes of Serpentine, tiny black-and-white checks with meadow green overcheck; pique blue with black satin overstripe effect; also in white; clever stripe combinations of white and Bethlehem Steel; unusual values at, the yard **\$1.25**

Fine, Soft Gros de Londres

HANDSOME NEW STRIPE EFFECTS in black Gros de Londres, with half-inch satin stripe of black, outlined with narrow white stripe; this same effect is reversed in another pattern, the outline stripe being black and the other stripes white; also a similar effect in Joffre Blue; the yard **\$1.75**

OTHER CLEVER STRIPE EFFECTS in Silver, Bethlehem Steel and Wistaria, on black; also combinations of Joffre, navy and silver; the yard **\$1.75**

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Prettier designs than ever before; large figured patterns of beautiful flowers on grounds of pink, wistaria and Joffre blue; 32 inches wide; the yard **\$1.00**

ANOTHER SPLENDID LINE OF CHENEY KIMONO SILKS, in bright, likable colors, and bold floral patterns; 32 in. wide; yd. **65c**

ROSE SALE POSTPONED On account of unsettled weather, our Bargain Sale of Rose Bushes will be postponed until next TUESDAY, February 15th. Wait for the big event.

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INTEREST UNABATED IN CHURCH INSTITUTE

DR. M. E. DODD IS THE PRINCIPAL SPEAKER ON FIFTH DAY'S PROGRAM.

Robert H. Coleman of Dallas Speaks on Sunday School Management. Dr. Hall Completes Series.

The interest in the Columbus Street Midwinter Bible institute is unabated. Dr. Beauchamp has had a most interesting teachers' training class during the week twice daily. He will conclude his work tomorrow afternoon at 10 o'clock. Robert H. Coleman of Dallas spoke at the institute yesterday morning on "How to Make a Sunday School Go."

Dr. A. N. Hall, Waxahachie, gave his third address on the second coming of Christ. Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 Dr. M. E. Dodd of Shreveport, La., gave an exposition of the first chapter of John's first letter, bringing out the thought of Jesus Christ as a reality, a person that may be experienced. "John said there that he handled Him and saw Him to gaze upon Him," said Dr. Dodd. "Christianity is Christ, not a creed, a theory, or a system, but Christ. It is realizing Christ. And when we realize Christ we realize God because Christ is God."

Dr. Dodd Is Speaker. In the evening Rev. S. A. Cowan had his B. Y. P. U. class as usual at 7 o'clock. At 8 o'clock Dr. M. E. Dodd gave an inspiring address on "The Mission of the Master." He read as a Scripture lesson part of the first chapter of John's gospel, bringing out the four-fold mission of Jesus: to make sons and daughters, to reveal grace and truth, to reveal God the Father, to take away the sin of the world.

Dr. Dodd said in part: "When I think of the things that Jesus gave up to come to this world to walk with the sons and daughters of this world, the honor, glory and position He gave up to be here homeless, hungry and without friends for thirty-three years, it makes me ask the question, 'What was it all for?' "In this Scripture we are given the motive that moved the heart of Jesus to come to this earth. "The first motive was that those

TODAY'S AID TO BEAUTY

An especially fine shampoo for this weather can be easily made at trifling expense by simply dissolving a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water. Pour slowly on scalp and massage briskly. This creates a soothing, cooling lather that dissolves and removes all dandruff, excess oil and dirt. Rinsing leaves the scalp spotlessly clean, soft and pliant, while the hair takes on a glossy richness of natural color, also a fluffiness which makes it seem very much heavier than it is. After a canthrox shampoo arranging the hair is a pleasure.

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Humane Society in Conference With State Official

With regard to strengthening the organization of the local humane society, prominent workers of the society held a conference yesterday afternoon with Will L. Vining of Austin, state organizer of humane societies under the state bureau of child and animal protection. Mr. Vining has been in Waco for the past two days, coming here from Temple. Considerable discussion as to the work of the local society and affiliation with the state board followed a brief outline of his work by Mr. Vining. With President A. R. McCollum presiding, a motion was carried that the society take no new action pending summation of the proposed centralized social organization for the city. The motion provided that only action necessary to maintain the organization in its present state be taken.

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Such words as these and those of many others that have been printed have a wide influence as they come from people of standing and integrity, who have given Plant Juice a fair trial and have benefited thereby.

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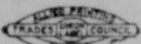
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MR. HEPBURN'S CAREER.

It is very gratifying to be able to
turn aside for a day from lambasting
certain members of congress for their
fondness for the pork barrel to the
neglect of more important matters, for
the purpose of paying a tribute to a
former member of that body who was
instrumental in the enactment of a
number of constructive measures that
were calculated to advance the inter-
ests not alone of his particular district
but of the nation as a whole. Such a
man was William P. Hepburn, mem-
ber of the lower house from the Clar-
inda, Iowa, district for a period of
twenty years, and who passed away at
his home Monday night.

As the author of the Hepburn law,
prohibiting rebates and discrimina-
tions by railroads, this man is most
familiarly known to the country, but
he was also instrumental in the pass-
age of the pure food act and the pub-
lic health act, and four of the five
large measures passed during the first
session of the Fifty-ninth congress and
which the then President Roosevelt
said would make that congress mem-
orable, came from the committee on
interstate and foreign commerce, of
which Mr. Hepburn was chairman, and
three of the four were drawn by him
personally. This work alone would
entitle him to the gratitude of the peo-
ple of the country, and from what we
know of his career in the national
lawmaking body it was in every way
creditable.

And there is in his career not only
the inspiration that a distinguished
and useful service affords to others
aspiring to enter upon a public car-
eer, but the assurance that a man
who has ambition and determination to
succeed can do so, no matter what the
obstacles may be. He was a product
of the pioneer days in Iowa, and ob-
tained what schooling he had in three
brief winter terms in an academy.
Leaving the farm he entered a print-
ing office and from there he went into
a law office to read law and was ad-
mitted to the bar in Illinois in 1854.

As a farmer boy, as a pupil in the
academy, as a printer's devil, as an
office boy and student in the law of-
fice, as a soldier on the battlefield he
was diligent and painstaking and ef-
ficient and it was but natural that when
he went to congress he should serve
that great body of the common people
from which he sprang with that fidel-
ity and efficiency that had become
fixed principles in his character. Mr.
Hepburn retired from congress several
years ago, but his good work in that
body remains and its influence will
live to bless this and succeeding gen-
erations.

If the rumors are true that the old
guard of the republican party is laying
effective plans for the defeat of Theo-
dore Roosevelt from being nominated
for president and from being elected
in case he is nominated, then the peo-
ple will be prepared to forgive the
said old guard its many sins of both
omission and commission in the past.

According to a staff correspondent
of the Houston Chronicle, Attorney
General Looney, Railroad Commis-
sioner Earle B. Mayfield, Comptroller
Henry Berriman Terrell and Henry D.
Lindley, mayor of Dallas, are tenta-
tive candidates for governor in 1918.
There's a wide range of choice in that
quart.

Every parent in the city who has a
small baby and everybody else inter-
ested in seeing all the babies of Waco
have a better chance in the world
should prepare to co-operate with the
movement for Baby Week, March 4-11.

WASTING A SHEET OF PAPER.

For one hundred years the savings
bank has existed in the United States
and in the hope of bringing the people
of this country to make larger use of
this particular banking institution and
adopt a more rigid policy of economy
along general lines, the savings bank
section of the American Banking asso-
ciation is sending out a series of inter-
esting leaflets dealing with various
phases of the problem of economy and
the question of thrift. The association
does not contend that one should save
merely for the sake of saving. It in-
sists that money should not be ex-
pended needlessly; that it should be
saved and when the saving is done,
one should trust to thrift to provide
him with the proper channel of in-
vesting his accumulations so as to
make them bring in large returns.

In the practice of economy there
must be reason and due regard to re-
lative values, declares the association,
for in the saving of a little there may
be the wasting of much. For instance,
a certain bank president drawing a
goodly salary, spends a great deal of
time cutting envelopes for use as
scratch paper. He is wasting his time,
for if he is worthy of being president
of a bank, his brain value is of so
much greater worth than the paper
value he is trying to save, that he is
penny-wise and pound-foolish. He
should be thinking out the problems
of his bank, not trying to save it a
few sheets of paper. On the other
hand, it would be good economy for a
large department store, burning hun-
dreds of lights daily, to pay a man ten
dollars a week to watch for needless
waste of light and turn out those not
in use.

A certain man dropped a nickel at a
railroad station. In his endeavor to
find it, he lost his train, lost his tem-
per, missed a business engagement that
held up four other men, and caused
confusion all round, and had to spend
a quarter for a telegram to hold the
engagement for his late arrival. That
was poor economy.

The point to be emphasized in all
such endeavors is to impress upon the
individual who wastes that if all were
to do as he does, the loss would be
enormous; and if all were to do as he
should, the saving would be great. We
are both careless and thoughtless. We
leave our lights burning when they do
no one any good. We leave the water
running, forgetting that the meter is
on its job all the time, and every turn
of the wheel means money to some one,
if not to us. It is all very well to say,
"It's included in the rent"—yes, but
the landlord has probably figured that
out when he fixed his rental. You pay,
not he, for every hour you burn a
useless light, or let the water run to
waste.

A certain school teacher, wide awake
to impress these things upon her pu-
pils, got her great chance one day. A
little girl made a few figures on a
sheet of paper and threw it away. The
teacher asked why she wasted that
sheet of paper, and the pupil replied
that "it was only a sheet of paper, and
besides, it was furnished by the board
of education free." Calling the class
to order, she asked them to take out
their pads and count the number of
sheets. Then she told them what the
pad cost and asked them to calculate
the cost of one sheet—a fraction of a
fraction of a cent. She then told them
how many pupils attended the schools
of the city on an average of 180 days
a year and asked them to figure the
cost if each pupil wasted but one sheet
a day. The total was a surprise.

It's not the cost of a single sheet of
paper, a single hour of useless light, a
match, a cent or two, that counts—it's
the cumulative totals that make the
astounding losses.

There is such a thing as being mean
and niggardly with yourself, eating
only enough to keep body and soul to-
gether, wearing clothes until they are
a mass of patches, and living a life of
strict denial to all the bodily comforts.
That is not the point; you ought to
live well, dress decently, and have
wholesome pleasures, but be careful in
your wasting, lest you be one of a
great army, wasting it may be but a
match a day, but if a million others
are doing the same thing, we burn up
a lot of wood to no useful purpose.
Light your pipe with one match!

William A. Pinkerton, head of the
Pinkerton detective agency, while a
"movie fan," has gone on record as
opposed to those films that depict
crime or moral delinquency in any
form. Such pictures are neither elev-
ating to adults or educational to those
who have not yet become fixed in their
characters. Instead of being helps to
warn people against the evil effects
of crime, such films are avenues of
suggestion to impressionable children
and young people and as such should
not be tolerated.

Mayor Overholzer of Oklahoma City
has promised a five-passenger auto-
mobile to that boy or girl of that city
under 15 years of age who can make
the greatest net profit this season from
a garden established on one of the
city's vacant lots. Inasmuch as there
are between 12,000 and 14,000 children
of this age in the Oklahoma metropol-
is we presume a majority of the vacant
lots will receive attention.

THOUSAND DOLLAR
BAIL REASONABLE

SO COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS
HOLDS IN HABEAS CORPUS
CASE FROM CAMERON.

Several McLennan County Decisions
Handed Down by Court of
Civil Appeals.

By the Associated Press.

Austin, Feb. 9.—The court of crimi-
nal appeals today affirmed the action
of the lower court in the case of ex-
parte Martin Castorena, from Cam-
eron county, release from custody or
decrease of bail. The court held that
bail of \$1,000 was reasonable. Cas-
torena was charged with robbery and
murder in connection with the wreck-
ing of a train near Brownsville.

Five cases were affirmed, one re-
versed and dismissed and one reversed
and remanded. Nineteen cases were
submitted.

Elm Mott to Have Benefit.

Special to the Morning News.

Elm Mott, Feb. 9.—A benefit enter-
tainment will be given next Friday
night by the recently organized girls'
domestic science club at Elm Mott.
Funds obtained from the entertain-
ment will be used to equip a room for
the study of domestic science in the
new school building, bonds for which
were voted several days ago. The Elm
Mott girls' club is one of the most en-
thusiastic of the several organized in
McLennan county recently by Mrs. J.
L. Landrum, organizer and supervisor
of girls' club work of the state depart-
ment of agriculture. A model domes-
tic science department is planned by
the girls to be installed when the new
\$8,000 brick building is completed.

Mrs. Faust Released on Bond.

By the Associated Press.

Sherman, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Annie Faust
today was held in \$5,000 bond, subject
to the action of the grand jury, fol-
lowing the death of the Rev. H. M.
Cagle, a prominent Baptist minister,
whom she shot down on the public
square here Monday. Shortly after the
shooting Mrs. Faust was released un-
der \$1,000 bond on a charge of assault
with intent to murder. Today she had
no trouble in making the \$5,000 bond,
and was released.

The body of the Rev. Mr. Cagle will
be buried in Collinsville, this county,
tomorrow afternoon.

No Developments in Double Murder.

By the Associated Press.

Palo Pinto, Feb. 9.—There are no
new developments in the Mingo double
murder, according to Sheriff Ab-
ernathy tonight. He informed the As-
sociated Press today that the little
or no ground for connecting G. W. St.
Clair with the killing of his wife and
his mother-in-law, Mrs. Will Wilkins,
last Saturday and that St. Clair, who
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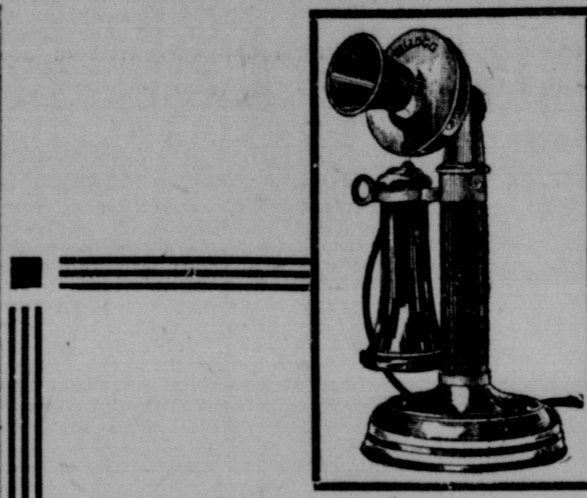
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Motion for rehearing overruled—H.
L. Furnace, from Dallas; C. M. Smith,
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Submitted on brief and oral argu-
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On brief for state—James Grigsby,
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Motion to withdraw appeal—F.
F. Craig, from Tarrant.

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ease.

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Mart, Feb. 9.—The Better Mart club
is taking active steps toward the
cleaning and beautifying the town.
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uncultivated vacant lots to turn them
over to the club and they will let
them out for gardens and tennis courts
to any one who will promise to keep
down the weeds. This will make the
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it more sanitary.

Residence Burns at Mart.

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Shooley, on South Pearl street, was
totally destroyed by fire last night
at 9:30. The fire was caused by a
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family had gone to bed and did not
wake up until one room had fallen in.
The insurance on the building was
\$1500, and \$500 on household and
kitchen furniture.

Separated for Year.

By the Associated Press.

Ennis, Feb. 9.—George L. Kelly, hus-
band of Mrs. Nina Kelly, who killed
herself in Fort Worth today, is a tin-
ner here. He said today he has been
separated from her for a year. The
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tion's policy, three opposed it and two
were noncommittal.

Talking Incorporation at Abbott.

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Institute at Lorena.

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MR. HEPBURN'S CAREER.

It is very gratifying to be able to turn aside for a day from lambasting certain members of congress for their fondness for the pork barrel to the neglect of more important matters, for the purpose of paying a tribute to a former member of that body who was instrumental in the enactment of a number of constructive measures that were calculated to advance the interests not alone of his particular district but of the nation as a whole. Such a man was William P. Hepburn, member of the lower house from the Clarinda, Iowa, district for a period of twenty years, and who passed away at his home Monday night.

As the author of the Hepburn law, prohibiting rebates and discriminations by railroads, this man is most familiarly known to the country, but he was also instrumental in the passage of the pure food act and the public health act, and four of the five large measures passed during the first session of the Fifty-ninth congress and which the then President Roosevelt said would make that congress memorable, came from the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, of which Mr. Hepburn was chairman, and three of the four were drawn by him personally. This work alone would entitle him to the gratitude of the people of the country, and from what we know of his career in the national lawmaking body it was in every way creditable.

And there is in his career not only the inspiration that a distinguished and useful service affords to others aspiring to enter upon a public career, but the assurance that a man who has ambition and determination to succeed can do so, no matter what the obstacles may be. He was a product of the pioneer days in Iowa, and obtained what schooling he had in three brief winter terms in an academy. Leaving the farm he entered a printing office and from there he went into a law office to read law and was admitted to the bar in Illinois in 1854.

As a farmer boy, as a pupil in the academy, as a printer's devil, as an office boy and student in the law office, as a soldier on the battlefield he was diligent and painstaking and efficient and it was but natural that when he went to congress he should serve that great body of the common people from which he sprang with that fidelity and efficiency that had become fixed principles in his character. Mr. Hepburn retired from congress several years ago, but his good work in that body remains and its influence will live to bless this and succeeding generations.

If the rumors are true that the old guard of the republican party is laying effective plans for the defeat of Theodore Roosevelt from being nominated for president and from being elected in case he is nominated, then the people will be prepared to forgive the said old guard its many sins of both omission and commission in the past.

According to a staff correspondent of the Houston Chronicle, Attorney General Looney, Railroad Commissioner Earle B. Mayfield, Comptroller Henry Bertram Terrell and Henry D. Lindsay, mayor of Dallas, are tentative candidates for governor in 1918. There's a wide range of choice in that quartet.

Every parent in the city who has a small baby and everybody else interested in seeing all the babies of Waco have a better chance in the world should prepare to co-operate with the movement for Baby Week, March 4-11.

WASTING A SHEET OF PAPER.

For one hundred years the savings bank has existed in the United States and in the hope of bringing the people of this country to make larger use of this particular banking institution and adopt a more rigid policy of economy along general lines, the savings bank section of the American Banking association is sending out a series of interesting leaflets dealing with various phases of the problem of economy and the question of thrift. The association does not contend that one should save merely for the sake of saving. It insists that money should not be expended needlessly; that it should be saved and when the saving is done, one should trust to thrift to provide him with the proper channel of investing his accumulations so as to make them bring in large returns.

In the practice of economy there must be reason and due regard to relative values, declares the association, for in the saving of a little there may be the wasting of much. For instance, a certain bank president drawing a goodly salary, spends a great deal of time cutting envelopes for use as scratch paper. He is wasting his time, for if he is worthy of being president of a bank, his brain value is of so much greater worth than the paper value he is trying to save, that he is penny-wise and pound-foolish. He should be thinking out the problems of his bank, not trying to save it a few sheets of paper. On the other hand, it would be good economy for a large department store, burning hundreds of lights daily, to pay a man ten dollars a week to watch for needless waste of light and turn out those not in use.

A certain man dropped a nickel at a railroad station. In his endeavor to find it, he lost his train, lost his temper, missed a business engagement that held up four other men, and caused confusion all round, and had to spend a quarter for a telegram to hold the engagement for his late arrival. That was poor economy.

The point to be emphasized in all such endeavors is to impress upon the individual who wastes that if all were to do as he does, the loss would be enormous; and if all were to do as he should, the saving would be great. We are both careless and thoughtless. We leave our lights burning when they do no one any good. We leave the water running, forgetting that the meter is on its job all the time, and every turn of the wheel means money to some one, if not to us. It is all very well to say, "It's included in the rent"—yes, but the landlord has probably figured that out when he fixed his rental. You pay, not he, for every hour you burn a useless light, or let the water run to waste.

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It's not the cost of a single sheet of paper, a single hour of useless light, a match, a cent or two, that counts—it's the cumulative totals that make the astonishing losses.

There is such a thing as being mean and niggardly with yourself, eating only enough to keep body and soul together, wearing clothes until they are a mass of patches, and living a life of strict denial to all the bodily comforts. That is not the point; you ought to live well, dress decently, and have wholesome pleasures, but be careful in your wasting, lest you be one of a great army, wasting it may be but a match a day, but if a million others are doing the same thing, we burn up a lot of wood to no useful purpose. Light your pipe with one match!

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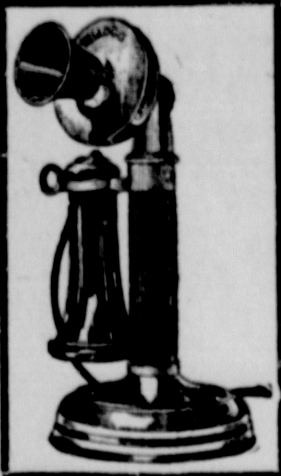
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Reversed and remanded—Wade Mansell, from Palo Pinto.

Reversed and dismissed—J. H. Gilliard, from Williamson.

Applicant discharged—Ex parte Bob Goodman, from Hill.

Motion for rehearing overruled—H. L. Furnace, from Bell; L. M. Smith, Jr., from Walker; C. A. Morgan, from Baylor; Bob Lanier, from Harrison.

Submitted on brief and oral argument for both—George Rios, from San Patricio; E. A. Hill, from Mills; Charles Chisler, from Bexar; Pearl Sorrell, from Smith; Purna Cutbirth, from Taylor; Pleas Reed, from Taylor; Anderson Ariola and James Manchaca, from Nacogdoches; John Burkhalter, from Nacogdoches.

On brief for both—Virge McAlister, from Gregg; Claude Clark, from Kaufman; Edgar Maeker, from Bexar; Peter Jones, from Nacogdoches.

On brief for state—James Grigsby, from Bexar.

On motion to withdraw appeal—P. F. Craig, from Tarrant.

On motion for rehearing—Bill Carter, from Comanche; John McPherson, from Harris; Gary Atkinson, from McCulloch; Johnnie Sparks, from Wichita; Barney Wilson, from Williamson.

Court of Civil Appeals.

The following proceedings were had today in the court of civil appeals, Third District:

Affirmed—M. K. & T. Ry. Co. of Texas vs. A. M. Elias, from Bastrop; Joe Shuman vs. Roy E. Lane, McLennan; Brazos Valley Telegraph and Telephone Co. et al. vs. Will Wilson, McLennan.

Reversed and remanded—H. & T. C. Ry. Co. vs. W. T. Montgomery, from Robertson.

Affirmed in part and in part reversed and remanded—Mrs. Mary Newman vs. H. E. Hedgman et al., from Llano.

Case submitted—H. H. Shear vs. E. H. Bruyer, from McLennan.

Rehearings refused—International & Great Northern Ry. Co. vs. J. G. Clark, Harris; Trinity & Brazos Valley Ry. Co. vs. Jas. T. Lunsford, Freestone; W. T. Caswell vs. Lensing & Bennett, from Milam; Houston & Texas Central Co. vs. R. R. Holbert, from Robertson.

Submitted for rehearing—A. E. Wilkerson et al. vs. Stansy & Holub, from Williamson; F. L. Griffith vs. R. D. Shofner, from Travis.

Motion to dismiss appeal submitted—Eula Benson vs. J. C. Ashford et al., from McLennan.

BOTH FALLS COUNTY CANDIDATES ENDORSED

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Hog Cholera in Falls County.

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Residence Burns at Mart.

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Separated for Year.

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Attorneys' names signed to the injunction petition are John W. Davis, W. H. Jenkins, F. M. Maxwell, Tom M. Hamilton and George Barcus. The complete list of defendants are Mayor J. W. Riggins, Commissioners John Dollins, W. J. Dunken, W. H. Cockcroft, Ben C. Richards and Secretary J. C. Davis; the judges of the proposed election representing the six wards, W. G. Carlisle, C. K. Wiel, Henry Stubbsfield, J. A. Leftwich, William Reese and Branford Hancock, and A. R. McCollum, editor and publisher of the Waco Tribune, which published the regular notice of the election as required by the law.

Noted Figure in Sport World to Be at Crystal Today

Ted Sullivan, whom all Texas knows for his liberal sportsmanship in connection with the early struggles of the Texas league, will deliver the lectures at the Crystal theatre today in connection with the Pathé film of the trip around the world taken by the New York Giants and the Chicago White Sox in 1914. At two periods in Texas baseball history, Mr. Sullivan rescued Texas baseball from its difficulties. He organized the Texas league in 1895 and reorganized it in 1902 after the original league had disbanded in 1896. It is remembered to his credit that when he left Texas both times he gave his franchisees to the league free of charge.

There is not a man in the entire realm of baseball, major or minor, that has the quality of Ted Sullivan. In the recent world's tour of the New York Giants-White Sox, Ted was selected by Comiskey and McGraw to plan the tour and represent the teams abroad. President Wilson and ex-President Taft gave letters to Sullivan to all the foreign powers, stating who Sullivan was and the purpose of the tour of the American ball teams.

Pathe's sent a representative with the tourists to film all the great features of the trip.

These films will be shown, with Sullivan's lecture thereon, at the Crystal this afternoon and tonight. In the last six months in many cities where those wonderful motion pictures were exhibited, the people at first thought it was continuous baseball through the entire tour, when in fact the baseball part is the most insignificant feature of the whole exhibition. There were only four games played altogether in foreign countries, and but one played in Europe, namely, London; a game that was played by request of the king of England and the American ambassador. There is nothing in travelogues that have been shown to the public since moving pictures were invented that is as interesting, educational and historical as those six reels of Pathe's films of the circle of the globe by the Chicago White Sox and New York Giants. There has been no society or collection of men, unless it be the American navy, that circled the globe, that has received the reception accorded the seventy people who comprised the number that made up the Chicago and New York ball teams.

PERSONAL MENTION

S. S. Bonfield of Dawson is in the city.
B. M. Allen is a business visitor here.
A. F. McCord of Dallas is a business visitor.

H. J. Wilson of Dallas is visiting in the city.
J. R. Hunter of Wichita Falls is visiting here.

T. P. Hubbard of Dallas is in Waco on business.
W. D. Dabbs arrived here last night on business.

H. W. Baits is registered at the Metropolitan hotel.
A. E. Zeverly of Austin spent the night in Waco.

H. W. Porter of Galveston spent yesterday in Waco.
J. C. Frazier of Fort Worth is stopping in the city.

L. G. Woodson of Dallas is in the city on business.
John Dyes of Fort Worth is a business visitor here.

Walter Keible of Galveston is in the city on business.
J. C. Downey of Dallas is registered at the Hotel Waco.

W. H. Noble of Dallas is registered at the Raleigh hotel.
Jack Roach of McGregor is here in interest of business.

H. Burks of Comanche is here in interest of business.
R. S. Hunnicutt and J. Hunnicutt of Marlin are in Waco.

C. P. Whitty of Fort Worth is here in interest of business.
Frank G. Davis of Houston is in the city on business matters.

L. S. Padden and L. S. Blanton of Yoakum are in the city.
Itay Noble and W. L. Mirrell of Kermes are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Conway of Rising Star are Waco visitors.
T. G. Beard of Houston arrived here last night for a short business trip.

V. A. Carragan of Houston was among the business visitors here yesterday.
Dr. E. E. Ingram, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, went to Dallas yesterday to attend a committee meeting on the proposition of establishing a summer Presbyterian camp in this state.

The Hotel Raleigh now has an orchestra in the dining room at noons and evenings.—Adv.



BAYLOR SOCCER TEAM MEETS TEXAS TODAY ON CARROLL FIELD

Baylor university's soccer team will play the team from the state university today at 4 o'clock. These teams have not played since 1914, when both Baylor and Texas instituted soccer as a regular sport in their athletic activities. Last year Baylor did not have a team and it was up to Texas to win the championship unhindered, but this year the Baylor team has played three games and lost two, these being to the Dallas Soccer club, composed of Englishmen who have been brought up on soccer as the American youth is on baseball, and S. M. U., a new team that is under the direction of the president of the North Texas Soccer league. Baylor will have an opportunity to play these teams off in the latter part of the season. Texas has played no one so far and the fans have no line on them, but it is expected that Baylor will carry off the honors today on Carroll field.

O. A. Bernardo, captain of the Bears, has been chosen by the students as the student coach of soccer, this being an honorary position which gives him the power to choose the teams and have control of the field activities. E. W. Proven, manager of the Baylor Book Concern, devotes as much time as he can to the team and in that way a good coaching staff is furnished for the sport. Texas is the only team outside of the North Texas Soccer league that Baylor has played, and the teams are practically all located in the northern part of the state and come under the rules of this new organization. The other teams of this association are all English and Scotch teams except S. M. U. These men have played the game from childhood and play it on a very scientific basis, thereby making it hard for teams like Baylor and S. M. U. to stay in the class, but Baylor and S. M. U. have each taken a game from one of these teams. It remains to be seen whether they can take them from the others or not.

As for the Texas team, it is thought that the game will be very interesting between them and the Bears for the team that played for the University in 1913 is still there and remains almost intact. In that year they defeated Baylor in one game and tied them in the other. This year, the first game will be played here and a return date in Austin later in the season.

The game will start promptly at 4 o'clock and the admission is 25 cents.

The probable line-up for Baylor is as follows:
Baylor—G. Roach, L. Roach, Ward, Moreau, Duff, McClung, Bernardo, Neville, Nuckles, Wood and Porter or Ray.

Crack Golf Players Will Take Part in Houston Tournament

By the Associated Press.
Houston, Feb. 9.—Assurances were received by the golf committee of the Houston Country club Wednesday morning that Charles ("Chick") Evans, Ned Sawyer and J. J. Hole will take part in the annual invitation golf tournament that is to be conducted here Feb. 25, 24, 25, 26.

Evans is present western champion and Sawyer was the runner-up in that event last season. Mr. Hole is a former Ohio amateur champion. Both Evans and Hole played over the local course during the invitation event of last February, but this will be Sawyer's first trip to Texas.

George Rotan, Texas amateur champion, and Charles Dexter Jr., southern champion, are expected to compete.

JOHNNY ERTLIE WINS AGAIN.

By the Associated Press.
New York, Feb. 9.—Three St. Paul boxers won their matches in the same ring here tonight. Johnny Ertlie, claimant of the heavyweight title, outboxed and outbowed Teddy Martin of Provident, R. I. Ertlie, weighing 115 pounds, had the better of nine of the ten rounds. Martin's weight was 112½.

Mike Ertlie, brother of Johnny, weighing 108, defeated Kid Murglia of Brooklyn, to whom he conceded seven rounds.

Bill Defoe made his New York debut, winning from Hugh Boden of Brooklyn. Defoe weighed 125 and Boden 124.

WILLARD AND MORAN SIGN UP.

By the Associated Press.
New York, Feb. 9.—Final articles were signed this afternoon for the ten-round no-decision bout here between Jess Willard, world's heavyweight champion, and Frank Moran, challenger, for the title, at Madison Square Garden on the night of March 8.

The selection of the referee was not made today.

AMATEUR LEADS IN SHOOT.

By the Associated Press.
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 9.—William Wetleaf of Nicholas, Iowa, with a score of 119 out of a possible 125 targets, led both amateurs and professionals in the second day's program of the mid-winter shoot in progress here. Wetleaf is an amateur. Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Iowa, led the professionals with 113.

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Navin Wires Finn Salary Goes on "Dead or Alive"

By the Associated Press.
Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 9.—Mike Finn, former Southern association manager and last season scout for the Detroit Americans, who is critically ill at a local hospital, told friends today that he will be unable to fulfill his contract to manage the Beaumont club of the Texas league, and that he has turned the club over to Jim Delahanty, former American league second baseman. Physicians have told Mr. Finn that he must forsake baseball for a year at least.

Today Mr. Finn received the following telegram from Frank Navin, president of the Detroit club:

"Dead or alive, your salary goes on this season just the same."

Braves Get Three from Pittsburgh Feds

By the Associated Press.
Pittsburgh, Feb. 9.—President W. Gwynner of the Pittsburgh Federal league club announced late today that he had completed a deal for the sale of First Base-

man Frank A. Allen and Elmer Knetzer to the Boston Nationals. The terms were not made public.

Texas Aggies Beat Tulane 34 to 10

Special to the Morning News.
College Station, Feb. 9.—In a fast game of basketball here this afternoon the Aggies whipped the Tulane five by the score of 34 to 10. Tulane threw but two goals while the Aggies placed twelve through the baskets. The same teams play tomorrow. Tulane is by long odds the fastest team that has been here this year and the Aggies had to extend themselves to beat the Louisianians.

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MOVIE INJUNCTION HEARING TODAY IN NINETEENTH COURT

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Attorneys' names signed to the injunction petition are John W. Davis, W. H. Jenkins, F. M. Maxwell, Tom M. Hamilton and George Harcus. The complete list of defendants are Mayor J. W. Riggins, Commissioners John Dollins, W. J. Dunken, W. H. Cockcroft, Ben C. Richards and Secretary J. C. Davis; the judges of the proposed election representing the six wards, W. G. Carlisle, C. K. Wied, Henry Stubbs, J. A. Leftwich, William Reese and Brantford Hancock, and A. R. McCollum, editor and publisher of the Waco Tribune, which published the regular notice of the election as required by the law.

Noted Figure in Sport World to Be at Crystal Today

Ted Sullivan, whom all Texas knows for his liberal sportsmanship in connection with the early struggles of the Texas league, will deliver the lectures at the Crystal theatre today in connection with the Pathe films of the trip around the world taken by the New York Giants and the Chicago White Sox in 1914. At two periods in Texas baseball history, Mr. Sullivan rescued Texas baseball from its difficulties. He organized the Texas league in 1895 and reorganized it in 1902 after the original league had disbanded in 1896. It is remembered to his credit that when he left Texas both times he gave his franchises to the league free of charge.

There is not a man in the entire realm of baseball, major or minor, that has the versatility of Ted Sullivan. In the recent world's tour of the New York Giants-White Sox, Ted was selected by Comiskey and McGraw to plan the tour and represent the teams abroad. President Wilson and ex-President Taft save letters to Sullivan to all the foreign powers, stating who Sullivan was and the purpose of the tour of the American ball teams.

Pathe's sent a representative with the tourists to film all the great features of the trip.

These films will be shown, with Sullivan's lecture thereon, at the Crystal this afternoon and tonight.

In the last six months in many cities where those wonderful motion pictures were exhibited, the people at first thought it was continuing baseball through the entire tour, when in fact the baseball part is the most insignificant feature of the whole exhibition. There were only four games played altogether in foreign countries, and but one played in Europe, namely, London; a game that was played by request of the king of England and the American ambassador. There is nothing in traveling pictures that have been shown to the public since moving pictures were invented that is as interesting, educational and historical as those six reels of Pathe's films of the circle of the globe by the Chicago White Sox and New York Giants. There has been no society or collection of men, unless it be the American navy, that circled the globe, that has received the reception accorded the seventy people who comprised the number that sailed from the Chicago and New York ball teams.

PERSONAL MENTION

S. S. Bonfield of Dawson is in the city.

H. M. Allen is a business visitor here.

A. F. McCord of Dallas is a business visitor.

H. H. Wilson of Dallas is visiting in the city.

J. R. Hunter of Wichita Falls is visiting here.

T. P. Hubbard of Dallas is in Waco on business.

W. D. Dabbs arrived here last night on business.

H. W. Balts is registered at the Metropolitan hotel.

E. Zevely of Austin spent the night in Waco.

H. W. Porter of Galveston spent yesterday in Waco.

J. C. Frazier of Fort Worth is stopping in the city.

L. G. Woodson of Dallas is in the city on business.

John Dyes of Fort Worth is a business visitor here.

Walter Keble of Galveston is in the city on business.

J. C. Downey of Dallas is registered at the Hotel Waco.

W. H. Noble of Dallas is registered at the Raleigh hotel.

Jack Ross of McGregor is here in interest of business.

H. Burks of Comanche is here in interest of business.

R. S. Hunslett and J. Hunslett of Marlin are in Waco.

C. P. Whitty of Fort Worth is here in interest of business.

Frank G. Davis of Houston is in the city on business matters.

L. S. Padden and L. S. Blanton of Yoakum are in the city.

Ray Noble and W. L. Mirrell of Kerens are visiting here.

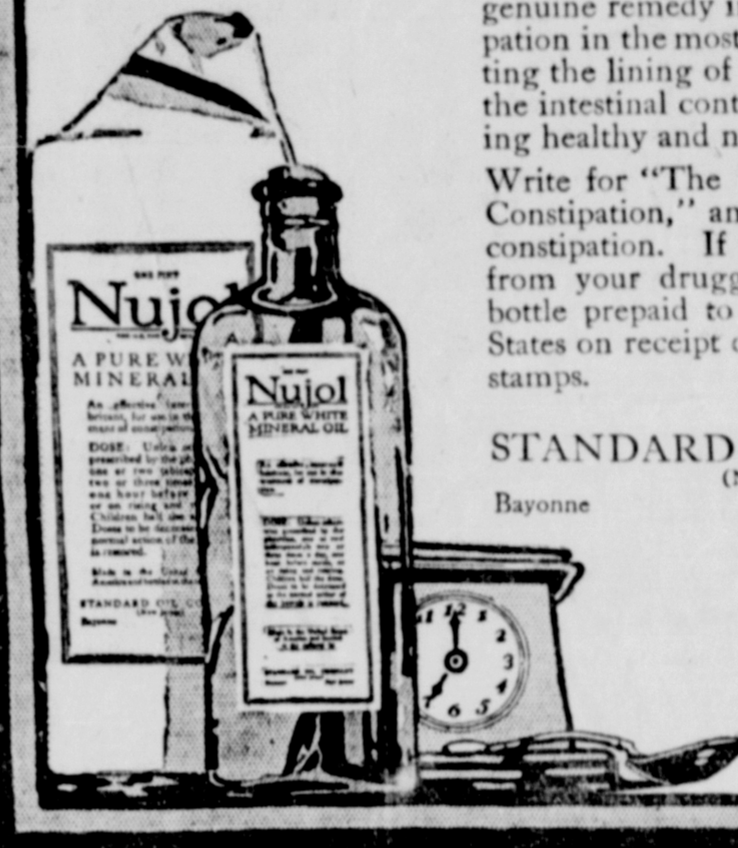
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Conway of Rising Star are Waco visitors.

T. G. Beard of Houston arrived here last night for a short business trip.

V. A. Carragan of Houston was among the business visitors here yesterday.

Dr. E. E. Ingram, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, went to Dallas yesterday to attend a committee meeting on the proposition of establishing a summer Presbyterian camp in this state.

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Baseball Magnates Observe Birthday of National League

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 9.—Meetings were held here today by club owners of the National and International leagues and the delegates hurried through their business at both sessions so they would have ample time left to prepare for the banquet tonight in celebration of the National league's fortieth birthday.

No change was made in the rule limiting the number of players to twenty-one by the National league magnates, although Boston, Chicago and New York went on record as favoring an increase to twenty-two players for each club.

The word "manager" as well as "player" was read into the rule governing the deduction of salary during a term of suspension and it was agreed that any club guilty of an infraction of this law should be fined \$250.

On motion of President Ebbetts of Brooklyn that the drafting system be changed so that the lower division clubs would be afforded the first privilege of obtaining players no definite action was taken. It was the sense of the meeting, however, that such a change would be desirable and the question went over to see what the American league and the minor leagues might have to say about it.

Mr. Ebbetts also advocated the limiting of 25-cent bleacher seats at any club stadium to 2500, but the suggestion was voted down.

President Weegman of Chicago stated that he had not made any definite arrangement for the disposal of Roger Bresnahan's services.

The International league player limit was increased from fifteen exclusive of a manager, to seventeen including the banar at each club.

The anniversary banquet brought to-

gether diamond stars, magnates, and fans of prominence in all walks of life. President John K. Tener as toastmaster declared that "as we believe the United States is fitted to sit at the head of the table of internationalism, so we believe that baseball, our pastime, is destined to become the world's international sport."

A standing toast was drunk to the memory of the late A. G. Spaulding.

A. J. Reach, who was a star with the Philadelphia team in 1876, and John P. Manning, who wore a Boston uniform in the year of the birth of the game, were among the speaker.

County Judges Meet at Waxahachie Today

Special to the Morning News.

Waxahachie, Feb. 9.—The semi-annual convention of the County Judges and Commissioners' association begins here tomorrow and a large attendance is expected from over the state. A great variety of matters pertaining to county government will be discussed, the program being an unusually comprehensive one.

County Judge George N. Denton of Waco is president of the association and C. D. Smith of Lancaster is secretary.

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BAYLOR SOCCER TEAM MEETS TEXAS TODAY ON CARROLL FIELD

Baylor university's soccer team will play the team from the state university today at 4 o'clock. These teams have not played together since 1914, when both Baylor and Texas instituted soccer as a regular sport in their athletic activities. Last year Baylor did not have a team and it was up to Texas to win the championship unhindered, but this year the Baylor team has played three games and lost two, these being to the Dallas Soccer club, composed of Englishmen who have been brought up on soccer at the American youth is on baseball, and S. M. U., a new team that is under the direction of the president of the North Texas Soccer league. Baylor will have an opportunity to play these defeats off in the latter part of the season. Texas has played no one so far and the fans have no line on them, but it is expected that Baylor will carry off the honors today on Carroll field.

O. A. Bernardo, captain of the Bears, has been chosen by the students as the student coach of soccer, this being an honorary position which gives him the power to choose the teams and have control of the field activities. E. W. Provenance, manager of the Baylor Soccer team, devotes as much time as he can to the team and in that way a good coaching staff is furnished for the sport. Texas is the only team outside of the North Texas Soccer league that Baylor plays. The other teams of the state are practically all located in the northern part of the state and come under the rules of this new organization. The other teams of this association are all English and Scotch teams except S. M. U. These men have played the game from

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Navin Wires Finn Salary Goes on "Dead or Alive"

By the Associated Press.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 9.—Mike Finn, former Southern association manager and last season scout for the Detroit Americans, who is critically ill at a local hospital, told friends today that he will be unable to fulfill his contract to manage the Beaumont club of the Texas league, and that he has turned the club over to Jim Delahanty, former American league second baseman. Physicians have told Mr. Finn that he must forsake baseball for a year at least.

Today Mr. Finn received the following telegram from Frank Navin, president of the Detroit club:

"Dead or alive, your salary goes on this season just the same."

Crack Golf Players Will Take Part in Houston Tournament

By the Associated Press.

Houston, Feb. 9.—Assurances were received by the golf committee of the Houston Country club Wednesday morning that Charles "Chick" Evans, Ned Sawyer and J. K. Bole will take part in the annual invitation golf tournament that is to be conducted here Feb. 23, 24, 25, 26.

Evans is present western champion and Sawyer was the runner-up in that event last season. Mr. Bole is a former Ohio amateur champion. Both Evans and Bole played over the local course during the invitation event of last February, but this will be Sawyer's first trip to Texas.

George Rotan, Texas amateur champion, and Charles Dexter Jr., southern champion, are expected to compete.

JOHNNY ERTLE WINS AGAIN.

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 9.—Three St. Paul boxers won their matches in the same ring here tonight. Johnny Ertle, claimant of the lightweight title, outfought and outboxed Teddy Martin of Provident, R. I. Ertle, weighing 115 pounds, had the better of nine of the ten rounds. Martin's weight was 115 1/2.

Mike Ertle, brother of Johnny, weighing 138, defeated Kid Muxha of Brooklyn, to whom he conceded seven pounds. Bill Defoe made his New York debut, winning from Hugh Roden of Brooklyn. Defoe weighed 123 and Roden 124.

WILLARD AND MORAN SIGN UP.

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 9.—Final articles were signed this afternoon for the ten-round, no-decision bout here between Jess Willard, world's heavyweight champion, and Frank Moran, challenger, for the title, at Madison Square Garden on the night of March 8.

The selection of the referee was not made today.

AMATEUR LEADS IN SHOOT.

By the Associated Press.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 9.—William Wetleaf of Nicholas, Iowa, with a score of 119 out of a possible 125 targets, led both amateurs and professionals in the second day's program of the mid-winter shoot in progress here. Wetleaf is an amateur. Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Iowa, led the professionals with 113.

ILLINOIS 30, CHICAGO 17.

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—University of Illinois 30, University of Chicago 17.

MISSOURI 30, KANSAS 24.

By the Associated Press.

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Bruce McRae as Dr. Allison, a Worthy Physician Tortured by His Wife's Suspicions of His Dealings With Women Patients, in the New Triangle-Kay Bee Play, "The Green Swamp."

At the Hippodrome today only.

MILK QUENCHES WAGON BLAZE.

Heat Cracks Bottles and Spills Lactal Fluid Over Flames.

A self-starting, self-quenching fire in a milk wagon was dragged for a quarter of a mile at the heels of two runaway horses, while a chemical wagon of the fire department pursued the wheeled conflagration. By the time the runaway was stopped the blaze had been put out by milk from heat-cracked bottles. While the driver was delivering to customers his team ran away. The swaying of the wagon spilled hot embers from a small warming stove near the inclosed driver's seat and set the wagon afire. Firemen manned a chemical cart and set after the team. Rapid speeding of the milk wagon fanned the flames and threatened to destroy the vehicle when the heat set bottles popping and started a small flood of milk, which put out the fire.

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THEATRES

HIPPODROME.

"The Green Swamp." One very notable thing about "The Green Swamp," the latest feature playing at the Hippodrome today, is its wonderful photography. The scenes are almost all interiors, but the lighting and pictorial effects are nothing less than wonderful. The showing of the repulsive green swamp turning gradually into an oasis of beautiful flowers is unusually striking and pretty. The story, too, is a very unusual one and drives home a moral that is much needed in a novel and unoffending way. Pettish jealousy developing into an unreasoning passion and the untold harm that may come of it, is the theme. The directors of this production, Mr. Ince and Scott Sidney, deserve all credit for the splendid manner in which it is staged and conducted, but the actors, especially Bessie Barriscale, give interpretations of their parts that are the last word in artistic conception and performance. Miss Barriscale always does wonderful work and this fact is realized more every time she is given a part, but in "The Green Swamp" she surpasses anything she has before accomplished. Bruce McRae is as finished an artist on the screen as he is on the stage, and no higher praise can be given him. Each one of the supporting cast is especially deserving of mention. These are J. Barney Sherry, Lola Ray, Milton Ross and Louise Brockwell. Margery Allison loves her husband, Dr. Ward Allison, with all her heart, but is insanely jealous of his professional attentions to his women patients. She is scolded over and over by him, but really suffers agonies from her imagination. Finally his patience is all but exhausted by her failure to give him a message that came from a woman over the telephone, from which act a child almost died. But she begged him to bear with her because she had learned that she was about to become a mother. A little later, out of consideration of her condition, the husband kept from his wife the fact that he had developed lockjaw, and went to the hospital for an operation. Her last act of jealousy brought about the crisis and the turning point, and resulted near tragically. This unusual picture will show at the Hippodrome today only.

REX.

Who's Who in "The City."

Thurlof Bergen, the distinguished leading man who plays George Rand in Clyde Fitch's powerful drama of modern life and financial intrigue in "The City," was destined to be a lawyer. The call of the stage proved too strong, however, and he joined a stock company, receiving a salary now and then—chiefly then. However, young Bergen fought his way up. He gained the dizzy pinnacle of Broadway. From Broadway he "jumped" to picture work and is one of the most popular players appearing on the screen. William Riley Hatch is said by William Gillette, whom he supported in all his big successes, to be the "best character actor" on the English speaking stage. As Rand Sr. the stern-lipped, taciturn old country banker in Clyde Fitch's great success, "The City," as filmed by the World Film corporation, Mr. Hatch more than makes good Mr. Gillette's eulogy. Mr. Hatch created roles in most of the New York successes of the last decade. He began life as an artist and in turn became an opera singer, a vaudeville artist and then an actor of the parts with which his name has become identified. Edith Edney, who has an important part in the World Film corporation's elaborate production of Clyde Fitch's master work, "The City," is an English girl. She came to this country in support of Clifton Crawford, the English comedian, in "My Best Girl." She speedily attracted attention and before joining the World forces was seen in principal roles in several Charles Frohman successes, in which she made personal hits. Her career in motion pictures has been a series of triumphs. Elsie Edmond, the dainty and charming young emotional star who portrays so feelingly the character of Emily Rand, in the World Film corporation's production of Clyde Fitch's most famous work, "The City," is one of the

At the Rex



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leading lights of the metropolitan stage. Her name has appeared in electric lights as the star of a dozen big New York hits. Much of her more serious work was done with Madame Nazimova in "Little Eyolf" and other Russian dramas. She was also a warm stock favorite as leading woman in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, St. Paul, Cincinnati, Albany, Boston, Portland, Me. Miss Edmond declares, however, that her best work has been done as Emily in "The City."

"The role appealed to me more deeply than any other part has ever done," she declares. Today only at the Rex theatre. Some genius who thinks and does the right thing at the right time hit upon the happy idea of securing the inevitable Anna Held, world famous for her eloquent eyes, for motion pictures, and of presenting her in that greatest of all French farces, "Madame La Presidente." The Oliver Morosco Photoplay company now presents this special attraction on the Paramount program at the Rex theatre Friday and Saturday, "Madame La Presidente," a three-act classic by Maurice Hennequin and Pierre Veber, has long since become one of the standbys of the pleasure-loving Paris stage. Thanks to the adroitness of the Oliver

At the Crystal



Sarah Bernhardt in "Jeanne Dore," at the Crystal today only.

At the Auditorium.



Margaret Illington in "The Lie," Auditorium Saturday night.

Morosco producer, its sparkle and gallantry is seen to even better advantage upon the screen than the stage, as will be specially noted in the adventures through which the producer is able to lead the three, skyraring junior magistrates of the little town of Gray. Anna Held, one of the finest farces on the stage today, gives splendid account of herself, her delicacy and taste appearing to fine advantage in the much discussed candle scene, which might easily have been made to verge on the risqué.

Ejected from the Hotel Boulogne after a gay party, Anna Held calmly establishes herself for the night in the home of Augustin Gallpoux, the judge issuing the order. As Mme. Gallpoux has just left for Paris, this makes extremely amusing complications. The fabbercasted magistrate's surrender to both Anna Held's threats and charms would be a story in itself were not the true zest of "Madame La Presidente" enacted shortly afterward in no less a place than the respected old ministry of justice in Paris, when the august minister himself takes up the task of the gay soubrette's cavalier.

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AUDITORIUM.

"The Lie."

The leaders of the stage are few, but among them and in the very front is Miss Margaret Illington, who is said this season to be seen to better advantage than in any role in which she has



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appeared since she became the foremost of emotional native-born actresses. The play that Miss Illington is presenting is Henry Arthur Jones' "The Lie," and it is said to be one of the most intense and absorbing plays that has been produced in a very long time. Last season it played for almost an entire year at the Harris theatre, New York City. The story of "The Lie" is told in four acts, but six years elapse in the telling. It is the history of an impoverished ancient English family, the narrative of the girl who, with shrewd design on fortune, goes wrong of her malicious wickedness and of the self-immolation of the elder sister and her complete sacrifice, and of the lie by which one sister puts her own shame upon the other and recovers her chance of marriage and hope of happiness. As the self-sacrificing sister, Elinor Shale, Miss Illington's performance is said to be no mere matter of "charm" and "personality." It is reported to be acting in the roundest sense of the word—acting with force and passion and tremendous illusion in it. Supported by her New York company of players and with a production in which every detail of the staging repays the study for its historic and artistic accuracy, Miss Illington presents "The Lie" at the Auditorium Saturday night.

CRYSTAL.

Sarah Bernhardt.

Whether or not Mme. Sarah Bernhardt will be able to make another American tour, she will be here in her shadow self, in Bluebird Photoplays, and the local display of the feature film will be at the Crystal theatre today when "Jeanne Dore," the last piece in which she acted upon the stage, will be shown. While the stage world and its followers are wondering

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musty files of newspapers, of Salvini's stage life and achievements.

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What would the admirers of Richard Mansfield give to see him now enact

upon the screen one of his great successes? Would it not be worth while to see the photographic record of a Bernhardt and Barrett presentation? The Bluebird Photoplays have registered Sarah Bernhardt and those who see her when she is shown in "Jeanne Dore" at the Crystal theatre today will have a privilege they would hold as of great import if they might also see Sol Smith Russell or John T. Raymond, or any of the great favorites they loved in stageland of other years.

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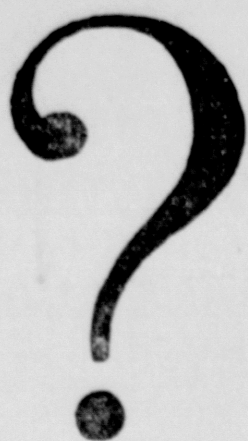
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Bruce McRae as Dr. Allison, a Worthy Physician Tortured by His Wife's Suspicions of His Dealings With Women Patients, in the New Triangle-Kay Bee Play, "The Green Swamp."

At the Hippodrome today only.

MILK QUENCHES WAGON BLAZE.

Heat Cracks Bottles and Spills Lactal Fluid Over Flames.

A self-starting, self-quenching fire in a milk wagon was dragged for a quarter of a mile at the heels of two runaway horses, while a chemical wagon of the fire department pursued the wheeled conflagration. By the time the runaway was stopped the blaze had been put out by milk from heat-cracked bottles. While the driver was delivering to customers his team ran away. The swaying of the wagon spilled hot embers from a small warming stove near the inclosed driver's seat and set the wagon afire. Firemen manned a chemical cart and set after the team. Rapid speeding of the milk wagon fanned the flames and threatened to destroy the vehicle when the heat set bottles popping and started a small flood of milk, which put out the fire.

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Auditorium

SATURDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 12.

MARGARET ILLINGTON

IN THE LIE BY HENRY ARTHUR JONES

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A Triangle play for jealous wives. Bruce McRae plays the husband.

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VIVIAN MARTIN IS COMING FRIDAY IN "MERELY MARY ANN"

At The Hippodrome.



"MERELY MARY ANN" WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

At the Hippodrome tomorrow and Saturday.

THE ATRES

HIPPODROME.

"The Green Swamp." One very notable thing about "The Green Swamp," the latest feature playing at the Hippodrome today, is its wonderful photography. The scenes are almost all interiors, but the lighting and pictorial effects are nothing less than wonderful. The showing of the repulsive green swamp, turning gradually into an oasis of beautiful flowers is unusually striking and pretty. The story, too, is a very unusual one and drives home a moral that is much needed in a novel and unoffending way. Betty, a jealous woman, developing into an unreasoning passion and the untold harm that may come of it, is the theme. The directors of this production, Mr. Ince and Scott Sidney, deserve all credit for the splendid manner in which it is staged and conducted, but the actors, especially Bessie Barriscale, give interpretations of their parts that are the last word in artistic conception and performance. Miss Barriscale always does wonderful work and this fact is realized more every time she is given a part, but in "The Green Swamp" she surpasses anything she has before accomplished. Bruce McRae is as finished an artist on the screen as he is on the stage, and no higher praise can be given him. Each one of the supporting cast is especially deserving of mention. There are J. Barney Sherry, Lola Ray, Milton Ross and Louise Brownell.

Margery Allison loves her husband, Dr. Ward Allison, with all her heart, but is insanely jealous of his professional attentions to his women patients. She is scolded over and over by him, but really suffers agonies from her imagination. Finally his patience is all but exhausted by her failure to give him a message that came from a woman over the telephone, from which act a child almost died. But she begged him to bear with her because she had learned that she was about to become a mother. A little later, out of consideration of her condition, the husband kept from his wife the fact that he had developed lockjaw, and went to the hospital for an operation. Her last act of jealousy brought about the crisis and the turning point, and resulted near tragically. This unusual picture will show at the Hippodrome today only.

At the Rex.

Who's Who in "The City."

Thurlof Bergen, the distinguished leading man who plays George Rand in Clyde Fitch's powerful drama of modern life and financial intrigue in "The City," was destined to be a lawyer. The call of the stage proved too strong, however, and he joined a stock company, receiving a salary now and then—chiefly then. However, young Bergen fought his way up, till he gained the dizzy pinnacle of Broadway. From Broadway he "jumped" to picture work and is one of the most popular players appearing on the screen. William Riley Hatch is said by William Gillette, whom he supported in all his big successes, to be the "best character actor on the English speaking stage." As Rand in the stern-hipped, lecture old country banker in Clyde Fitch's great success, "The City," as filmed by the World Film corporation, Mr. Hatch more than makes good Mr. Gillette's eulogy. Mr. Hatch created roles in most of the New York successes of the last decade. He began life as an artist and in turn became an opera singer, a vaudeville artist and then an actor of the stage, in which his name has become identified. Edith Edney, who has an important part in the World Film corporation's elaborate production of Clyde Fitch's master work, "The City," is an English girl. She came to this country in support of Clifton Crawford, the English comedian, in "My Best Girl." She speedily attracted attention and before joining the World forces was seen in principal roles in several Charles Frohman successes, in which she made personal hits. Her career in motion pictures has been a series of triumphs.

Elsie Edmond, the dainty and charming young emotional star who portrays so feelingly the character of Emily Rand, in the World Film corporation's production of "The City," is one of the famous young.

At the Rex



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leading lights of the metropolitan stage. Her name has appeared in electric lights as the star of a dozen big New York hits. Much of her more serious work was done with Madame Nazimova in "Little Eylet" and other stock favorites as leading woman in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, St. Paul, Cincinnati, Albany, Boston, Portland, Me. Miss Edmond declares, however, that her best work has been done as Emily in "The City."

"The role appealed to me more deeply than any other part has ever done," she declares.

Today only at the Rex theatre.

Anna Held Tomorrow. Some genius who thinks and does the right thing at the right time hit upon the happy idea of securing the inimitable Anna Held, world famous for her eloquent eyes, for motion pictures, and of presenting her in that greatest of all French farces, "Madame La Presidente." The Oliver Morosco Photoplay company now presents this special attraction on the Paramount program at the Rex theatre Friday and Saturday. "Madame La Presidente," a three-act classic by Maurice Hennequin and Pierre Veber, has long since become one of the standbys of the pleasure-loving Paris stage. Thanks to the adroitness of the Oliver

At the Crystal



Sarah Bernhardt in "Jeanne Dore," at the Crystal today only.

At the Auditorium.



Margaret Illington in "The Lie," Auditorium Saturday night.

Morosco producer, its sparkle and Gallic joyousness is seen to even better advantage upon the screen than the stage, as will be specially noted in the adventures through which the producer is able to lead the three, sky-jacking junior magistrates of the little town of Grez. Anna Held, one of the finest farceuses on the stage today, gives splendid account of herself, her delicacy and taste appearing to fine advantage in the much discussed candle scene, which might easily have been made to verge on the risqué.

Ejected from the Hotel Boulogne after a gay party, Anna Held calmly establishes herself for the night in the home of Augustin Galipaux, the judge leaving the order. As Mme. Galipaux has just left for Paris, this makes extremely amusing complications. The flabbergasted magistrate's surrender to both Anna Held's threats and charms would be a story in itself were not the true zest of "Madame La Presidente" enacted shortly afterward in no less a place than the respected old ministry of justice in Paris, when the august minister himself takes up the task of the gay soubrette's cavalier.

"Madame La Presidente" presents the world famous Anna Held in pictures for the first time. This French classic is splendidly presented by the Oliver Morosco Photoplay company on the Paramount program.

AUDITORIUM.

"The Lie."

The leaders of the stage are few, but among them and in the very front is Miss Margaret Illington, who is said this season to be seen to better advantage than in any role in which she has



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appeared since she became the foremost of emotional native-born actresses. The play that Miss Illington is presenting is Henry Arthur Jones' "The Lie," and it is said to be one of the most tense and absorbing plays that has been produced in a very long time. Last season it played for almost an entire year at the Harris theatre, New York City. The story of "The Lie" is told in four acts, but six years elapse in the telling. It is the history of an impoverished ancient English family, the narrative of the girl who, with shrewd design on fortune, goes wrong, of her malicious wantonness and of the self-immolation of the elder sister and her complete sacrifice, and of the lie by which one sister puts her own shame upon the other and robs her of her chance of marriage and hope of happiness. As the self-sacrificing sister Elmore Shale, Miss Illington's performance is said to be no mere matter of "charm" and "personality." It is reported to be acting in the roundest sense of the word—acting with force and passion and tremendous illusion in it supported by her New York company of players and with a production in which every detail of the staging repays the study for its historic and artistic accuracy. Miss Illington presents "The Lie" at the Auditorium Saturday night.

CRYSTAL.

Sarah Bernhardt.

Whether or not Mme. Sarah Bernhardt will be able to make another American tour, she will be here in her shadow self, in Bluebird Photoplays, and the local display of the feature film will be at the Crystal theatre today when "Jeanne Dore," the last piece in which she acted upon the stage, will be shown. While the stage world and its followers are wondering

At The Hippodrome.



Bessie Barriscale in "The Green Swamp," at the Hippodrome today only.

just what effect the results of her operation will have upon her acting, it is to be remembered that Bernhardt, mistress of pantomime, has ever been able to tell more with the glance of her eye, or a shrug of her shoulders, than many actresses of her day could vouchsafe by word of mouth. Bernhardt upon the screen may be relied upon to be the Bernhardt of old, greatest woman of her generation.

Just as the new year had arrived cable dispatches from Italy brought news that Salvini, tragedian of imperishable memory, had died in Florence. This man, greatest actor of his time, had outlived his generation; very few now retain vivid memory of his great achievements. Years ago he passed from the avenues of dramatic thought among contemporaneous critics and students of the stage.

Like Kemble and Sara Siddons, like Booth and Barrett, and scores of great artists who have trod the boards in supreme heights of dramatic achievement, Salvini is only a memory—only a name etched on the tablets of histrionic memory. There is no record outside of books, apart from

musty files of newspapers, of Salvini's stage life and achievements.

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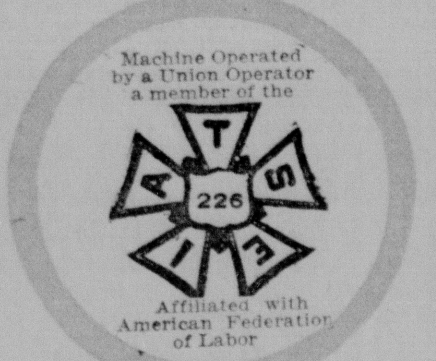
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Announcements

B. R. Mason
Candidate for
STREET COMMISSIONER
Subject to action of the democratic primary, February 15.

Justice J. J. Padgett
Announces his candidacy for re-election as
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Precinct 1, place 2, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1916.

J. F. Stampf
Candidate for
COMMISSIONER
(To succeed John Dollins)
Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary February 15.

SEM NIX
Announces his candidacy for re-election to the office of
PUBLIC WEIGHER
Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, July 22.

EDGAR WITT
Candidate for
COUNTY JUDGE
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 22.

GEO. W. TILLEY
(Ex-Sheriff)
Candidate for
TAX COLLECTOR M'LENNAN COUNTY
Subject to action of Democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

John Dollins
Candidate for
MAYOR
Subject to the action of the Democratic primary February 15.

Geo. N. Denton
Announces his candidacy for
DISTRICT JUDGE, NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
(To succeed Judge McCullough). Subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 22.

LON WORTHAM
Candidate for re-election
COUNTY TREASURER
McLennan County.
Subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

Howard D. McElroy.
Attorney-at-law has removed his law office to 1393 Amicable Bldg., new phone 1795, old phone 94.—Adv.

Gas Water Heaters, Stoves, Hose, Water Keys, Check and Wastes, Flood Plumbing Co., Phones 596. Advertisement.

The Hotel Raleigh now has an orchestra in the dining room at noons and evenings.—Adv.

TWO NEW TEACHERS FOR CITY SCHOOLS

NO APPOINTMENT MADE TO SUCCEED MISS LOTA PHARR, HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER.

Miss Emily Kellogg of Brenham and Miss Hester Kendrick of Waco Added to Teacher List.

The resignation of Miss Lota Pharr, teacher in the Waco high school, who was recently elected to a position in the Fort Worth high school, was received yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the public school board of directors. Her successor was not named by the board, as several names are under consideration. Miss Lulu Strickland was transferred by the board from the Brook avenue school to the seventh grade at the Central grammar school, which is a position which was created to relieve the crowded conditions at the Central school. Miss Emily Kellogg of Brenham and Miss Hester Kendrick of Waco were elected to positions and their assignments made later.

Dr. J. R. Ferrell, the public school physician, made a report to the board in which the sanitary conditions and also the heating, lighting and ventilation systems of the public schools were declared to be good, with a few minor exceptions. The report was made after a close inspection by Dr. Ferrell.

It was decided to arrange to teach mechanical drawing in the Central grammar school. The other grammar school has been teaching this course for some time.

Superintendent B. R. Cobb was ordered to take the school census in March instead of April, as has heretofore been the custom.

**Retail Merchants
Banquet Tonight at
New Raleigh Hotel**
Asher Sanger, Sam Hanna and L. E. Bain have been selected as the speakers of the evening for the meeting of the Retail Merchants' association of Waco to be held this evening at the Raleigh. This will take the form of a general meeting of the association and directors will be elected and luncheon provided for those present.

The fifteen directors to be elected at the meeting tonight will elect officers of the association tomorrow. The committee in charge of the meeting tonight have been very active in arranging the details of the affair and the meeting will have a large attendance following the liberal sale of tickets for the banquet.

Crim Funeral Held Yesterday

The funeral of W. H. Crim was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, 329 North Eleventh street. Interment was made in Oakwood cemetery. Rev. W. P. Witsell officiated. Death occurred at an early hour yesterday morning at his home. Mr. Crim had been a resident of the city since 1869 and was one of the best known men of Waco. He had served as constable and as deputy constable since coming to Waco and for twelve years he had been in the employ of the county. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Miss Edith Crim, and a sister, Mrs. Mildred Mansker of Moody. Active pall bearers were Judge George N. Denton, John W. Baker, Sam Smith, Ellis Hardy, Judge J. J. Padgett and John Reed.

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**Admen Consider
Seventh Lesson at
Meeting Tonight**

The seventh course in the lessons on advertising will be held at the meeting of the Ad club today at 12:15 at the State House. The subject of the lesson for today as outlined by the educational committee of the Associated Ad Clubs of the World, is "How to Advertise a Retail Business." The discussion will be led by the secretary of the club, E. A. Miller.

The meeting today is the last that will be held by the local club before the state convention of Ad clubs of Texas, which will be held at El Paso. The state convention is set for Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Delegates to the state convention from the local club are C. B. Harmon, delegate at large; W. V. Crawford, J. W. Carlin, L. S. Henry, E. C. Blomeyer, Louis Crow, E. A. Miller, J. H. Boyle and W. P. Killingsworth.

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NEXT CONVENTION OF TWO ORGANIZATIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE PANTHER CITY.

Noon Luncheon, Auto Tour of City, and Cabaret Luncheon at Huaco Club End Entertainment.

Placing the date for the next annual convention as the first Tuesday in February, 1917, and choosing Fort Worth for the meeting place, the Texas Retail Shoe Dealers' association and the Southwestern Shoe Travelers' association yesterday concluded their final business session of the convention which has been in progress here since Tuesday morning. Following this session which ended near noon, the delegates were guests of the local shoemen at a luncheon given in the grill room of the Raleigh hotel. After that the visitors were given an automobile ride over the city, during which time the principal places of interest were visited.

That the entertainment received by the Waco people has never been surpassed in the history of the association was voiced by many of the delegates. Following their automobile ride yesterday afternoon the visitors were taken to the Huaco club for a Dutch lunch as guests of the Waco entertainers, which was the climax of the splendid entertainment offered during the convention. A vote of thanks was extended the Waco Young Men's Business League for their cooperation in making the convention here probably the most successful one ever held by these organizations.

A resolution was passed after considerable discussion at the business session yesterday morning asking for an increase in commissions. The request for the increase was based upon the high cost of materials and the general increase of traveling expenses and the cost of living. The resolution stated that due to these conditions the shoemen thought it fair to have the amount of commissions paid to the traveling men by the manufacturers increased. In an effort to get the increase in commissions, the resolution was sent to the leading manufacturers of the state.

When time came to choose the convention city for 1917, it was between Antonio and Fort Worth. Both cities having made strong bids, but the Fort Worth bid was favored. The convention city was to have been chosen on the opening day, but was postponed in order to receive bids from other cities. Secretary Hines of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce addressed the delegates and extended an invitation to hold the next convention in Fort Worth.

Immediately after the Southwestern Shoe Travelers' association had held a brief business session yesterday morning the two associations held a joint session to decide the next place to hold the convention.

The automobile tour of the city was the final feature of the convention. Delegates started leaving for their respective headquarters early last night.

Blindfolded, Wins in Checkers Against Strong Player

Remarkable Feat of Expert Who Will Play Against All Comers at Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

Billy Wade, the checker player who is scheduled to play against all comers in a simultaneous exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. tonight, was once requested by a number of enthusiasts in a northern town to play blindfolded against their strongest local player. They naturally supposed that meant that Mr. Wade would play by the sense of feeling and a knowledge of the positions of the squares on the board—much the same as a pianist plays the piano by familiarizing himself with the positions of the keys on the keyboard.

But to the great surprise, Mr. Wade numbered the squares of the checkerboard, then took a seat in a far corner of the room, out of sight of the board, and told an assistant where to move, who in turn announced the numbers of the squares to which his opponent moved.

The game progressed smoothly enough until about mid-game, when Wade seemed to be in a serious predicament. His opponent had gained a man by a compound exchange, and all were keenly expectant and highly jubilant at the prospect of winning a game from the visiting expert, even though he were blindfolded and they were in fact all playing in consultation against him. But things are not always as they seem and Wade sustained this old saying in a sensational manner, by turning his back to the spectators and the board, and calmly and confidently moved his pieces, and in a few minutes he was again playing "Good-night."

After playing as many players at once as wish to play in crossboard encounters, Mr. Wade will play blindfolded against as many as four of Waco's best players at once.

IN THE LOCAL COURTS.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.
Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
Harvey M. Richey, Special Judge.
V. V. McClain, Clerk.
Alexander Whyte vs. Waco Floral Co., suit on contract, judgment for defendant. Doris Allen released at hearing charging her with contempt of court in alleged violation of an injunction.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.
Richard I. Muirroe, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
In session in Falls county.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.
Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Eliza Evans vs. S. A. & A. P. Railway company, damages; judgment for plaintiff for \$1400.

Judge Clark dismissed a number of cases on the non-jury docket for want of prosecution and announced that he would do likewise in other cases when the docket is called at 2 o'clock this morning unless attorneys were present to make some disposition of them.

COUNTY COURT.
George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.
A. V. Sharpe vs. W. W. Gregory, suit for commission; judgment for plaintiff for \$81.65.

Marriage License.
Joseph H. Evans and Miss Corn Blosser.
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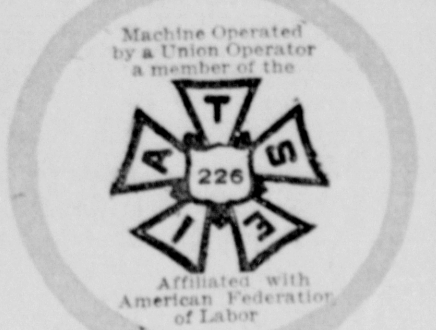
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(To succeed John Dollins)
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Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, July 22.

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LON WORTHAM
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McLennan County.
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Howard D. McElroy.
Attorney-at-law has removed his law office to 1302 Amicable Bldg., new phone 1795, old phone 94.—Adv.



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Admen Consider

Seventh Lesson at Meeting Tonight
The seventh course in the lessons on advertising will be held at the meeting of the Ad club today at 12:15 at the State House. The subject of the lesson for today as outlined by the educational committee of the Associated Ad Clubs of the World, is "How to Advertise a Retail Business." The discussion will be led by the secretary of the club, E. A. Miller.

The meeting today is the last that will be held by the local club before the state convention of Ad clubs of Texas, which will be held at El Paso. The state convention is set for Monday and Tuesday of next week. Delegates to the state convention from the local club are C. B. Harmon, delegate at large; W. V. Crawford, J. W. Curbin, L. S. Henry, E. C. Honeyey, Louis Crow, E. A. Miller, J. H. Boyle and W. P. Killingsworth.

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TWO NEW TEACHERS FOR CITY SCHOOLS

NO APPOINTMENT MADE TO SUCCEED MISS LOTA PHARR, HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER.

Miss Emily Kellogg of Brenham and Miss Hester Kendrick of Waco Added to Teacher List.

The resignation of Miss Lota Pharr, teacher in the Waco high school, who was recently elected to a position in the Fort Worth high school, was received yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the public school board of directors. Her successor was not named by the board, as several names are under consideration. Miss Lota Pharr was transferred by the board from the Brook avenue school to the seventh grade at the Central grammar school, which is a position which was created to relieve the crowded conditions at the Central school. Miss Emily Kellogg of Brenham and Miss Hester Kendrick of Waco were elected to positions and their assignments will be made later.

Dr. J. R. Ferrell, the public school physician, made a report to the board in which the sanitary conditions and also the heating, lighting and ventilating systems of the public schools were declared to be good, with a few minor exceptions. The report was made after a close inspection by Dr. Ferrell.

It was decided to arrange to teach mechanical drawing at the Central grammar school. The other grammar school has been teaching this course for some time.

Superintendent B. B. Cobb was ordered to take the school census in March instead of April, as has heretofore been the custom.

Retail Merchants Banquet Tonight at New Raleigh Hotel

Asher Sanger, Sam Hanna and L. E. Bain have been selected as the speakers of the evening for the meeting of the Retail Merchants' association at the Raleigh hotel.

The fifteen directors to be elected at the meeting tonight will elect officers of the association tomorrow.

The committee in charge of the meeting tonight have been very active in arranging the details of the affair and the meeting will have a large attendance following the liberal sale of tickets for the banquet.

Crim Funeral Held Yesterday

The funeral of W. H. Crim was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, 329 North Eleventh street. Interment was made in Oakwood cemetery. Rev. W. P. Witsell officiating. Death occurred at an early hour yesterday morning at his home.

Mr. Crim had been a resident of the city since 1869 and was one of the best known men of Waco. He had served as constable and deputy sheriff since coming to Waco and for twelve years he had been in the employ of the county. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Miss Edith Crim, and a sister, Mrs. Mildred Mansker of Moody. Active pall bearers were Judge George N. Denton, John W. Baker, Sam Smith, Ellis Hardy, Judge J. J. Padgett and John Reed.

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

IF CROSS, FEVERISH OR BILIOUS, GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS.

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is sure sign that his little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cros, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without straining, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless fruit laxative, because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50c bottle of California Syrup of Figs, then see that it is made by the California Fig Syrup Company.

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FORT WORTH SELECTED BY SHOEMEN FOR 1917

NEXT CONVENTION OF TWO ORGANIZATIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE PANTHER CITY.

Noon Luncheon, Auto Tour of City, and Cabaret Luncheon at Huaco Club End-Entertainment.

Placing the date for the next annual convention as the first Tuesday in February, 1917, and choosing Fort Worth for the meeting place, the Texas Retail Shoe Dealers' association and the Southwestern Shoe Travelers' association yesterday concluded their final business session of the convention which has been in progress here since Tuesday morning. Following this session which ended near noon, the delegates were guests of the local shoemen at a luncheon given in the grill room of the Raleigh hotel. After that the visitors were given an automobile ride over the city, during which time the principal places of interest were visited.

That the entertainment received by the Waco people has never been surpassed in the history of the association was voiced by many of the delegates. Following their automobile ride yesterday afternoon the visitors were taken to the Huaco club for a Dutch lunch as guests of the Waco entertainers, which was the climax of the splendid entertainment offered during the convention.

A vote of thanks was extended the Waco Young Men's Business League for their cooperation in making the convention here probably the most successful one ever held by these organizations. A resolution was passed after a considerable discussion at the business session yesterday morning asking for an increase in commissions. The request for the increase was based upon the high cost of materials and the general increase of traveling expenses and the cost of living. The resolution stated that due to these conditions the shoemen thought it fair to have the amount of commissions paid to the traveling men by the manufacturers increased. In an effort to get the increase copies of these resolutions will be sent to the leading manufacturers of the state.

When time came to choose the convention city for 1917, it was between San Antonio and Fort Worth, both cities having made strong bids, but the Fort Worth bid was favored. The convention city was to have been chosen on the opening day, but was postponed in order to receive bids from other cities. Secretary Hines of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce addressed the delegates and extended an invitation to hold the next convention in Fort Worth.

Immediately after the Southwestern Shoe Travelers' association had held a brief business session yesterday morning the two associations held a joint session to decide the next place to hold the convention.

The automobile tour of the city was the final feature of the convention. Delegates started leaving for their respective headquarters early last night.

Blindfolded, Wins in Checkers Against Strong Player

Remarkable Feat of Expert Who Will Play Against All Comers at Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

Billy Wade, the checker player who is scheduled to play against all comers in a simultaneous exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. tonight, was once requested by a number of enthusiasts in a northern town to play blindfolded against their strongest local player. They naturally supposed that meant that Mr. Wade would play by the sense of feeling and a knowledge of the positions of the squares on the board—much the same as a pianist plays the piano by familiarizing himself with the positions of the keys on the keyboard.

But to their great surprise, Mr. Wade numbered the squares of the checkerboard, then took a seat in a far corner of the room, out of sight of the board entirely and told an assistant where to move, who in turn announced the numbers of the squares to which his opponent moved.

The game progressed smoothly enough until about mid-game, when Wade seemed to be in a serious predicament. His opponent had gained a man by a compound exchange, and all were keenly expectant and highly jubilant at the prospect of winning a game from the visiting expert, even though he were blindfolded and they were in fact all playing in consultation against him.

But things are not always as they seem and Wade sustained this on a surprising manner, by turning his opponent was not even allowed to have a king, much to the surprise and amazement of the spectators and the chagrin of the local champion, who got up and left the room without even saying "Good-night."

In the exhibition at the Y tonight, after playing as many players at once as wish to play in crossboard encounters, Mr. Wade will play blindfolded against as many as four of Waco's best players at once.

IN THE LOCAL COURTS.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.
Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
Harvey M. Richey, Special Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.

Alexander Whyte vs. Waco Floral Co., suit on contract; judgment for defendant. Doris Allen released at hearing charging her with contempt of court in alleged violation of an injunction.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.
Richard I. Maurice, Judge.
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Ellis Evans vs. S. A. & A. P. Railway company, damages; judgment for plaintiff for \$1400.

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